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HARVEY'S GRAND ELOQUENCE.

The Closing Remarks in the Great Ten Days' Debate---Oh, for Another Liberty Bell!

RING! GRANDFATHER, RING!!

Manhood in this Country is Again Revived—Some Words of Jefferson—Hope, Comfort and Relief are Coming—The Spirit of Washington, Jefferson, Jackson and Lincoln Shall Rule.

At the close of the ten days' debate between Mr. Horr and Mr. Harvey, on the financial question, Mr. Harvey said:

"I am about to close this debate. I want, in the words thai I shall utter, to extend an encouraging message to the distressed people of the United States. I want to say to them that relief is coming; to pick up courage; and to those who are suffering until their hopes are crushed, and who contemplate abandonment of all hope in their business, I say do not do so. Hope, comfort

AND RELIEF ARE COMING.

Manhood in this country is again going to be revived. We are going to force this country by the sheer influence of intelligence to cease its worship of property and money as of greater value than humanity. [Applause.]

Some Scottish troops were once surrounded by the enemy, and after constant fighting, with provisions cut off, the Scottish soldiers were dying of hunger. They were still brave, and could repel the enemy, but the wasting away of life from starvation brought them to the consideration of the

THE QUESTION OF SURRENDERING.

They had waited in vain for reinforcements. When about to send forth the flag of truce to announce that fact, after waiting many days and weeks for reinforcements to relieve them, the soldier who started with the message had but mounted the parapets when he heard in the distance the Scotch bagpipes of the Scottish soldiers playing "The Campbells are Coming." There was no surrender, and there was victory. Let me say to the people of the United States if you will but listen, you will hear the music upon the air,

"THE CAMPBELLS ARE COMING."

The spirits of Washington, Jefferson, Jackson and Lincoln are coming. [Applause.]

The same oppression that exists in this country by the fraudulent money measurement that is confiscating your property, exists throughout the world. It first entrenches itself in the power of the officers who obey its commands. As your property falls in value, the salaries of these officers are increased. Where 17,000 bushels of wheat would have paid the President's salary of $25,000 in 1873, it will take 80,000 bushels to pay the salary of Mr. Cleveland of $50,000 now.

With the encouragement of the money power comes increased salaries and official corruption; hence official despotism.

To-day

LIBERTY IS APPEALING TO US

from all over the world. Cuba today is striking for liberty against the oppressor, Spain. I have stood in the harbor of Havana and looked upon that old fortress at its mouth, and had told me by a citizen of Havana that beneath its walls underground were subterranean channels, passages and cells; that citizens of Cuba for political crimes only, had been in these cells for years, and had never seen daylight.

It is to liberate these people, it is to end their oppression that comes with your money power, that the liberty-loving people of Cuba are today striking for liberty.

There is a rising in this country with your money power, a tendency to

ENTRENCH AND PROTECT OPPRESSION

the world over, where it gets the opportunity.

The President of the United States, the willing implement of the money power and tyranny and oppression, has given every assistance to Spain; has sent our war vessels to guard the coast of Cuba, to prevent the friends of Cuba, the Spaniards living in Florida, from going to their succor.

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We are fighting the battle of liberty for the world. [Applause [The result of your verdict upon this momentous question will be world-wide. It will convey words of cheer and

STIMULATE THE NERVES OF FREE MEN

in every land. Never was civilization so dependent upon the action of any one people in the world as it is to-day upon the people of the United States.

The money power has crushed human liberty the world over. Civilization arose on the Tigris and the Euphrates. At its birth the selfish influence through the money power that arrogated to the few the property of the country drove the people seeking liberty away, and they crossed the Mediterranean into Greece and Rome.

In turn the same selfish interest there absorbed the property of the people and sent freemen to modern Europe. Again pursued by the same selfish spirit, those freemen of Europe fled

ACROSS THE ATLANTIC TO AMERICA.

There is no other place you can go. The islands of the Pacific Ocean will not sustain the population. We stand to day with our backs to the Pacific Ocean and our faces to that enemy that has eaten out civilization in all countries today. The tail of that serpent rests in Egypt and India, its body in Europe, and its head is raised in this country. Will you fight it? [Applause.]

Thomas Jefferson when in Paris was asked: "What, in your judgment, is your greatest protection in the United States from tyranny?" His reply was: "In every log cabin in the United States there is a rifle, and

TYRANNY DOES NOT DARE TO RAISE ITS HEAD."

The men who owned these rifles have passed away, but they have left you the ballot, and as you guard and protect that ballot so will you answer to history for the charge that they gave to you. [Applause.] We need a second Declaration of Independence in the United States. [Applause.]

I want to take your minds back to a scene that was enacted upon our soil in Philadelphia when Congress was in session, and about to pass the declaration. The old bell man went into the tower at the hour that Congress convened. There were ten or fifteen thousand people in the streets. He had posted a little boy at the door to give him the signal if the declaration was adopted. Hour after hour went by, and the old man shook his head and said: "They will never do it;

THEY WILL NEVER DO IT."

Suddenly there was a shout in the streets, and the little blue-eyed boy came into sight clapping his hands and shouting: "Ring, grandfather, ring!" The old man, seizing the tongue of the bell, threw it back, and a hundred times sounded that tocsin that has echoed and re-echoed over this land ever since that memorable day when we declared

OUR FIRST INDEPENDENCE FROM ENGLAND.

What we need to have to-day is a liberty bell—ten thousand liberty bells to ring out in this country, speaking the intelligence of this people, that they can understand the war made upon its resources, whether it may be made by a destructive influence or by shot and shell. [Applause.] Teach the people from the little blue-eyed boy to the young and old to live again for the country, and to understand that when its liberties are about to be destroyed they should act as their revolutionary forefathers acted, and declare that we should by right be independent of the financial laws of England or of any other land that strikes at our liberty. [Continued applause.]

$35,000 Short.

It has been discovered in Washington that A. R. Spofford, who has for many years been Librarian of Congress, is $35,000 short in his official accounts.

Investigation has shown that payrolls had been signed by parties who had not drawn the amounts for which they signed. Spofford has paid back $22,000, and does not seem disturbed at the condition of things.

OHIO DEMOCRATS

Fall in Line with the Gold-Bugs!—"You Can Get it in the Party!!"

Just as Gorman bossed the Maryland Democratic Convention, Senator Brice, the big Western gold-bug, bossed the Ohio Democratic Convention.

There were 808 delegates. Only 270 were for free silver. The balance were gold-bugs.

This is another pointer for those silver Democrats who want to fight for silver "in the party."

Ex-Governor James E. Campbell was nominated for Governor.

He was the Democratic candidate for Governor in 1891, and was beaten. He became nearly bankrupt by reason of pressure brought to bear by some creditors for political reasons.

After his defeat he retired from politics, and went to work to straighten out his affairs, and was getting in good shape when the panic of 1893 struck, and gave him a hard struggle—one he was barely equal to.

And now he comes out as a candidate, advocating the policy of a party which produces panics and causes hard struggles.

But he is a gold-bug candidate. The old twin party will have a gold bug candidate. Then the "rooters" of both old parties will whoop and shout for their particular man. And the old gold bugs will sit back, wink their eyes, twist their thumbs and *think*, though they will not say it loudly: "What fools (some of) these mortals be!"

BLACK-WATSON CONTEST.

New Georgia Registration Law, Which Will Insure a Fair Vote and Full Count.

It will be remembered that Major J. C. C. Black, who was "counted in" as Democratic Congressman from the Tenth Georgia district, sent in his resignation several months ago, on being satisfied that more votes had been polled in his district than was warranted by a just count. He did this notwithstanding the fact that he appeared to have a majority on the face of the returns of 7,000. Hon. Tom Watson was the Populist nominee against him, and the fraud against Watson was so plain and clear that Maj. Black resigned that so another election could be had. The Populists renominated Tom Watson, and the Democrats renominated Maj. Black.

In the mean time the legislature has passed a general State registration law, under which all elections are protected by a rigid registration, which registration did not exist in the last election.

The Democratic committee has discussed the situation, and determined to render all assistance in its power to the re-election of Maj. Black. The election takes place on the 2d of October, and the registration closes on the 11th of September. The condition precedent to registration being the payment of taxes, the election will be strictly a fair one, and the better sentiment of the district has determined that it shall be nothing else.

In no State Democratic Convention yet held have the advocates of the single gold standard dared make a fight on that issue. President Cleveland favors the single gold standard, Secretary Carlisle favors it, Secretary Hoke Smith favors it, Secretary Morton favors it. Yet we find none of their followers bold enough to propose anything stronger than the old financial straddle of 1892. This is significant.—Wilmington Star.

THE VICTIM OF MONOPLY.

Prof. E. W. Bemis, of the Chicago University, Asked to Resign—On Account of His Principles.

DOESN'T SUIT THE GOLDBUGS

His Views at Variance with Those of Rockefeller—Who Founded the Institutions—Devoted to the Interests of the People and Antagonistic to Jobbery and Trusts.

The CAUCASIAN has recently noticed many references in the press to certain gifts and endowments to various large "educational" institutions by the millionaires of the country. In every instance great praise is lavished upon the givers for their great and magnificent generosity and philanthropy.

We do not wish to attempt to take away or doubt any credit or honor that may be justly due to anybody who has made such donations.

The power of money, however, is great for good or evil in college or church, as it may be used; and with this statement we wish to submit an account of a recent occurrence which constitutes a subject for much consideration. Here is the occurrence:

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Edward W. Bemis, Professor of Political Economy in the Chicago University, severed his relations with that institution last week. Prof. Bemis "resigned" because his resignation was desired. His scalp dangles at the belt of monopoly. Because he opposed the greed of corporations, and argued against

THE LAWLESSNESS OF TRUSTS,

his chair will be filled by another.

The issue raised by the case of Prof. Bemis is already a fruitful topic in all the seats of learning. There is a crisis at hand among educators. It is the old story of capital against labor, only now it has invaded the universities. The goldbugs and monopolists are trying to control the colleges. The case of Prof. Ely, of the University of Wisconsin, is an illustration. He was charged with being a Socialist because he wrote

AGAINST THE PRESENT ORDER

of things. He was tried and vindicated. Prof, Bemis is not as aggressive as Prof. Ely, though he studied under him at Johns Hopkins University.

Prof. Bemis is a quiet man, persistent, but not aggressive, and a hard worker. He is recognized among economists as one of the wheel horses in the work of gathering material for the revision of the principles of economic science on inductive methods. He is not known by any one as a crusader against established order. He believes that such natural monopolies as gas, water and street transportation should be owned and

OPERATED BY AND FOR THE PUBLIC,

though he does not hold that the change should come at once, or perhaps. ever universally.

The Chicago University was founded and has been richly endowed by John D. Rockefeller, who has given $4,000,000 to it. Rockefeller has made $75,000,000 in thirty years. The methods by which this great wealth was acquired have been strikingly presented in Henry D. Lloyd's book, "Wealth Against Commonwealth." Mr. Lloyd showed it to be the product of merciless, industrial warfare, lawless conspiracy and abuse of municipal franchise. Mr. Yerkes, the street railway magnate, is another benefactor of the university. He has given $500,000 to the university in the form of a telescope. Mr. Yerkes has made $10,000,000 in ten years. It was said at the time that in giving the telescope Mr. Yerkes desired to concentrate the gaze of the people on the heavens.

AND AWAY FROM THE STREETS.

The resentment against Prof. Bemis was aroused by his sturdy condemnation of the abuse of municipal franchise. He holds strong convictions regarding the robbery of the public by corporations and city authorities. He has made a long, personal investigation of economic problems, as presented in the larger cities, and he has given his convictions to students at the university, and to the big university extension following in this part of the State. He did not indorse the Pullman strike, but he

DOES FAVOR LABOR UNIONS.

After the strike he delivered an address to a number of millionaires in Dr. Barrow's church, and criticised the strikers. "The railroads, too," said he, "are law-breakers, and must be made to obey the Interstate Commerce act. They are, in fact, as much lawbreakers as the strikers." At this point Marvin Hughitt, President of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, stepped up to the pulpit and shouted: "I consider that language an outrage. To imply that the railroads cannot come into court with clean hands is infamous." This was doubtless

ONE REASON FOR HIS DISMISSAL.

Prof. Bemis is popular with the students, who all sympathize with him. He was seen to-day by The World correspondent. He said that he preferred not to speak of his interviews with the university authorities, but as the reports had spread that he was radical in his economic views, he would say that he was in substantial agreement with such economists as Seligman, Ely, Andrews and Walker, though not going so far in some directions as Prof. Ely. He believed that a university should be in close touch with the labor movement and municipal and monopoly problems, and that it is true conservatism to introduce factory legislation, more honest and just local taxation, and such methods of city government and monopoly control.

THE WAR IN CUBA.

The Plucky Little Island Making a Great Fight for Independence.

The Island of Cuba is making a desperate effort to free itself from Spanish rule. For six months or more they have been carrying on a magnificent fight against the Spaniards. The cause is oppressive taxation and tyranny of officers. There have been some desperate fights and and many fatalities. Since 1823 this little Island has made five efforts to throw off the grip of Spain. The last struggle lasted from 1868 to 1876, and Spain was compelled to send 140,000 troops there to suppress the Cubans. Many thousands of troops have been sent in from Spain during the last few months to put down the present uprising, but the plucky Islanders seem to have gotten the best of it up to date.

Many Americans would like to aid the Cubans, but the United States government has issued orders that Americans must not interfere on account of the relations existing between this country and Spain.

Information has just been received at Wasnington which indicate that Cuba may win this fight. It says that Spanish rule in Cuba cannot last many months longer, and that the establishment of a republic may be expected. This result will be largely due to the attitude of the planters, who are not anxious to continue paying tribute to Spain, and who, in fact, are unable to do so any longer.

Some South American republics are taking steps to recognize the right of Cuba to fight for her independence. Many American people think the United States ought to have done this long since.

CHINESE VS. CHRISTIANS.

The American Mission at Foo-Chow Attacked by an Armed Mob.

HONG KONG, Aug. 22.—Another outrage has been committed upon missionaries near Foo-Chow. The American mission has been attacked by a large and infuriated mob armed with various weapons.

The chapel and school house of the mission were wrecked and four of the native scholars were wounded. The foreign teachers, however, escaped injury.

A strong anti-foreign local feeling prevails at Foo-Chow, and it is spreading among the populace, who are parading the thoroughfares with cries of "drive out the foreign devils."

The Washington Post, commenting on the several attacks made by Chinese on missionaries, says with some force and much sense:

"We have on all occasions maintained the proposition that our missionary work in China is a failure. In this we are supported by the testimony of travelers, merchants, naval officers, and representatives of the civil branch of our government. The Chinese people do not want the Christian religion. They have never given it the slightest encouragement, and we see now that, but for the sternest restraint of authority, they would be unwilling to tolerate the presence of the missionaries for so much as a single day. Neither is it logical for the United States government to assume an attitude of protection as regards the representative of any special faith who may choose to undertake the conversion of foreign people. We have no national religion. We recognize all religions and give preference to none. Suppose some American converts to Buddhism or Confucianism were to set up a propaganda in Mexico and undertake to evangelize that Catholic country—would it not be as incumbent upon us to dispatch armies for their protection as it can now be to send our gunboats up the Yang-tse for the Christian missionaries at Ku-Cheng?"

THE TOBACCO TRUST.

Attorney General of New York Begins War Upon It—To Drive it From the State.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The World tomorrow will say: "Attorney General Theodore Hancock is preparing to bring suit against the American Tobacco Company to annul the certificate authorizing it to do business in this State. The preliminary step was taken today, when the officers were served with a summons to appear on Saturday, to answer to a complaint that they are doing business in violation of statute. The petitioner is Charles A. Whelan, a jobber, of Syacuse. He asks the State to perpetully enjoin the trust from making and selling paper cigarettes.

THE STATE'S FIRST NEW BALE.

It Was Sold Yesterday at Morven, Anson County, and Brought 8 Cents.

Special to the Observer.]

MORVEN, Aug. 29.—A new bale of cotton, the first in the State, was sold here to-day. It weighed 558 pounds and brought 8 cents. It was raised by Steve West on J. L. Pratt's place. J. M. Hardison was the buyer.

THE POINT OF VIEW.

Opinions That Occur From Conditions Which Exist.

In Greene county, Missouri, Mrs. Helen C. Stewart has been appointed sheriff to succeed her husband, who died a few weeks ago. She is said to be the first woman sheriff in the United States, or in the world, and it is thought that when her term expires she will be nominated by the Republicans for that office.—Southern Index.

Sixteen railroad presidents met in New York last week and made arrangements to cinch the people a little more thoroughly than ever before. They represented $3,000,000,000 capital, and all the trans-continental roads except the Canadian Pacific. This is all right; but a combination of laborers or farmers for self-protection is anarchistic, and must be suppressed.—Civic Review.

The Republican party is "redeeming" Kansas with a vim. Determined to have possession of all the offices, in order to get the Populists out of their appointed positions, they instituted charges of corruption and have spent over $12,000 prosecuting them, and have not convicted any of them.—Ex.

HON. T. J. JARVIS.

His Speech at Morganton—What he Said And How it Took.

"When is Governor Jarvis going to flop to the Populists?" was a question asked the CAUCASIAN by a Democratic editor last week."

The trouble is, ex-Senator Jarvis made a speech at Morganton. The Charlotte Observer declares that he said at one time that the Democratic party was the place to get silver. Then a little further on, in the same speech, he advised the people to study the question and vote with any party that would give them what they wanted.

If the ex-Senator is not careful he will either read or driven out of the party before he gets ready to come. He ought to know that it is an unpardonable sin to talk about voting "with any party" when making a Democratic speech.

The Democrats of Morganton are "huffy." Many of them are mad because he discussed the financial question, and there is talk about holding a "sound money" convention. One Democrat is quoted as saying: "It was a mistake to make a pure silver speech at this time. Curse the legislature, the Republicans &c."

That's it. Nothing smashes these hide-bound old Dems like a discussion; but when it comes to abuse, mud slinging and billingsgate, you hit them right where they live.

YOUNG MEN'S REFORM CLUB.

A Proposition From Mr. Kestler That is Worth Consideration—Let's Settle it at Once.

For the Caucasian.]

CONCORD, N. C., Aug. 25.—I want to say a few words to the young Populists of North Carolina, and their name is legion. The time is here when nothing can be achieved without young men. We are doing nearly all the hustling, moving business of the world today. We find the young men leaders in business, in politics, in the editoral rooms, in the pulpit, at the bar. Everywhere they are ruling the world. And take the young men out of our party today

AND IT WILL DIE.

My object in writing is to try to organize a Reform Club among the young Populists of the State—a club aiming to purify our laws, our politics and to be organized so that we can aid our cause more advantageously. This organization ought to be only an adjunct to the regular People's Party organization of the State. We hope to supplement it, and not to supersede it. Our opponents have a young men's club; why can't we? What do the young men of the State think of this?

I call upon our young, progressive manhood, which is never recreant of duty, to take the matter in hand. Let us organize a State club and let it have sub-organizations in every county. What shall we call it? When shall we organize? Who shall be its officers? If we, the young men of the People's Party, have to do the hard work and the hustling work, have to run the press, have to make the speeches, have to do the voting, and in a thousand ways have to spend our time, our talent, our money and our all in the advancement of this cause, then we ought to do it more systematically. We are willing to lay our young manhood, our noblest efforts, our best abilities, our energy, our all on the altar of this cause, and when we do this we expect some slight credit for it.

View it as you may, ponder it as you will, but the future of the cause depends upon our young men. With our live, pushing work we can't be defeated. We swear that the enemy of good government and the enemy of the people shall not again rule in the Old North State. I appeal to our young men all over the State to consider this "Young Men's Reform Club," and if you think it wise, if you think it opportune, then help us organize it. Write me at Concord what you think of it, and if enough men think it a good suggestion, then we'll go to work and by '96 have an organization whose influence will be felt. I am proud of our young men's record in '94. Much of that victory is due to them. Let us get all of our men in line and put them to work. What about it? Organization is the golden key to victory.

G. ED. KESTLER.

Why Cannot the Postoffice do It Better.

For the Caucasian.]

An Inter-State Telephone Company is being organized at Durham to connect several of our towns together. It is a commendable enterprise and will be a great convenience relieving us somewhat from high telegraph rates. But why is not this done by the Postoffice and not only a few towns but every single Postoffice, in the country (as well as in the towns) connected by telephone. Why not?

1st. It is because the United States Constitution does not require it, for the Supreme court at Washington has unanimously held that the telegraph and telephone are within the duties imposed on the Postoffice Department by the Constitution.

2nd. It is not because of the expense, for telephone or telegraph wire costs less than $10 per mile and every postmaster can use a telephone.

3rd. It is not because it is unprofitable since all other countries now have the telegraph and telephones as a part of their postoffice equipment, and their experience has been that the addition of these proper facilities have made their postoffice departments profitable. We know that ours, without the telegraph and telephones, does not pay expenses while the telegraph and telephone companies are paying enormous dividends.

None of these things prevent our having these facilities. If we consider the heavy lobby maintained at Washington and the telegraph franks tendered to every member of Congress and United States Senators- all do not accept them—we get nearer the true cause. X. X.

There has been a remarkable improvement in the "appearance" of some Democratic papers in this State since the 52 William street Reform club got a foothold in it.

THE PEOPLE OF THE NORTHEAST

Are not Well Informed on the Silver Question—No Way of Getting at the Facts.

THE CRY OF "SOCIALISM"

By the Big City Papers Are Keeping People Away From Meetings—They Do not Investigate—And Passively Let Usurers do the Ruling—Rings and Cliques Run People Into the Ground.

From the Philadelphia Item.]

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE CAUCASIAN.

The Caucasian, of Raleigh, N. C., writes the Item asking for information about the sentiment that exists among the people of the Northeast on the subject of silver, government management of railways, etc.

The Item replies: The plain people of the Northeast are not as well informed on the question of free Silver as the same people in the West and many parts of the south. Where the Item circulates the people are rapidly getting pretty well posted, but outside of the Item's influence in the Northeast there are no public speakers nor printed papers giving the *truth*.

There are a few who do a little toward it, but the great mass of the people have no way of

GETTING AT THE FACTS.

If they had, undoubtedly they would at once espouse the interests of the *silverites* as well as some other *more advanced ideas* in the direction of *needed currency reform*.

It is a striking fact, that so few of the public speakers in behalf of Free Silver go to New York city and other parts of the Northeast in their rounds for the purpose of imparting information.

Why this is so is a problem, except the cost, for such speakers have nothing to dread from disorderly assemblies, because throughout the Northeast all political assemblages

LISTEN WITH PATIENCE

to what anybody has to say, particularly if he has anything new or out of the general run.

There is a great field Northeast of Philadelphia for a well edited daily in behalf of the *people*.

The big dailies in existence all *toady* to the *usurers*, consequently cry down everything in the shape of Free Silver; and these dailies are about all the plain and business people of the Northeast see. They do not have time to look up outside sources of information, except in isolated instances; consequently, they

ALLOW PROFESSIONAL USURERS

to do the ruling, not fully comprehending how these usurers are abusing their trust.

On the subject of *Government Ownership of Railways* the plain people of the Northeast know *little* or *nothing*.

Here and there People's party assemblages hold meetings, but they are generally poorly attended, mainly on account of a

PREVAILING NOTION

that these meetings are in the direction of advocating socialism.

The true born Americans in the Northeast are a pretty intelligent class; perhaps as much so as in any part of the country. Among them nearly all have more or less an *instinctive repugnance* to socialism. The goldite dailies knowing this, whenever anything arises against the interests of the usurers, cry out that it is socialism. That is enough for the Easterner who keeps away from the meeting

WITHOUT FURTHER INVESTIGATION.

One of the chief reasons for this is the fact that the people's movement in behalf of emancipation in Europe, is named socialism; professed socialists lead it. Americans prefer *independence*. They say, as does the Item, the less government the better. Socialism says, on the other hand, the more government the better. Hence the American stays at home when his newspaper tells him that a lot of socialist cranks are about to meet at so and so.

At the same time, the Item well knows, even if the plain people of the Northeast outside of the Item's influence do not know, that the people must unite in self-defence, and own as well as run various industries in the nature of necessities, which, because, they are now more or less

MONOPOLIZED BY OPPRESSORS,

greatly tend to the public's impoverishment and injury. The people will not be down-trodden for fear that by uniting together for the sake of self-preservation, they may be called socialists.

The great trouble with the world to-day is that there already exists too much socialism in one form or another; there is altogether too little independence of action. Many say there is no such thing as independence; these readily become socialists. Hence the ease with which *rings* and *cliques* are enabled to

RUN THE PEOPLE INTO THE GROUND

merely carrying out already existing laws, laws which themselves, in so far as they are operative, are socialistic. Strictly speaking, all laws are socialistic; but they are a necessity in the protection of society from criminals.

This distinction between independence and socialism as a method of government is the gravest now before the American people; many among the ablest scholars are not at all clear where independent people's rights end, and where socialism begins. Commonly they get pretty well muddled whenever they begin to analyze the difference. Yet this difference is as wide apart as

INDEPENDENCE AND SLAVERY,

or as wide apart as the two most opposed conditions in the world.

INDEPENDENCE means INDIVIDUALISM. Without it, people could not exist as such. Hence SOCIALISM, the OPPOSITE OF INDIVIDUALISM, means EXTINCTION OF THE INDIVIDUAL. If he lives under it, it is a LIVING DEATH. Socialism is man's DEADLIEST ENEMY.

SOUTH CAROLINA ALLIANCE.

President Evans Urges the Necessity of Keeping up The Organization.

The State Alliance of South Carolina met in Columbia last week.

In his annual address President Evans said:

"There never was a time since the first organization of the Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union when there was more urgent need for us to keep up this great union of the industrial classes. Many of our profoundest thinkers believe that this country is on the verge of revolution, peaceful it may be, but revolution there will be. It is my own conviction that this revolution will come and that it will be settled through the ballot box. How important then that the large army of voters, who have so much at stake of common interest, should have an organization through which they can make their combined influence felt by the political parties striving for supremacy.

"It is not partisan, yet the Alliance is political to the core and should redouble its energies to educate the masses in the science of government, for it is only through the intelligence of the citizen and his knowledge of the relation of the government to finance, commerce, agriculture and transportation that he will be able to protect his interests by his ballot. You cannot trust to political parties the keeping of such vital interests for all parties are sooner or later controlled by the politician whose guiding star is policy and not principle; so it is absolutely necessary to have such an organization as the Alliance is, to check parties and politicians when they go wrong, as well as to give support to those who are right."

CHANGED HIS FAITH.

A Wealthy Manufacturer Sees the Dangers of Gold Monometallism.

Mr. Henry B. King, a rich cotton manufacturer of Augusta, Ga., son of ex-U. S. Senator John P. King, who was a delegate to the Memphis gold convention, is out in a letter declaring his conversion to bi-me tallism. The following extract ought to convert others:

"The increased demand for gold will naturally put up its price, and if all other valables are measured by gold it will take less gold to buy a certain quantity of other commodities, or more commodities to purchase a certain quantity of gold. If the postulates are true, is not the corollary inevitable, that one who borrows a pound of gold will, when he comes to repay it, have to expend more pounds of cotton, more bushels of wheat, more days of labor, in proportion as the increased demand for gold has in the meantime increased its scarcity? If so, then the present arrangement is all in favor of the creditor and against the debtor, in favor of the rich against the poor, in favor of the few against the many.

Does history anywhere tell us of any one country whose people really were prosperous where the working classes were not contented, and does it not everywhere show us that nations are invaribly preceded to their downfall by a combination of wealth and power in the hands of a few? Where the working classes are well off the whole community is bound to be prosperous and everybody is happy.

We have the everyday experience before us that vast fortunes can be amassed by the few, accompanied by great destitution among the masses. And when you think of it, could any scheme possibly be devised better calculated to transfer to the coffers of the few the little savings of the many than having to repay a loan in dearer money than was borrowed?"

How Times are Changing.

Silver Knight.]

Prior to the crime of 1873 no officer of government ever allowed himself the enjoyable excursions in public vessels and government ships that are so popular to-day; it would then have been called stealing public money in paying such expenses Now it is only the "regular thing.' Prior to that time the farmers of the country were prosperous, and labor of every kind was fully employed, well paid, and the tramp was actually unknown. But times are changing; our President can take a ship at pleasure and go a-fishing; his cabinet likewise. Instead of remaining at the seat of government attending to public business, the higher ones are now mostly all away, having a jolly time, and the government is run by the clerks, and gets along as best it can.

"It is English, you know," and this same aping after English manners and customs is not confined to our office-holders, but the whole goldbug family are following in line as fast as possible; their young men are fast adopting the nasal drawl of the English dude, and society is drifting towards England and English.

This is but the natural result of the crime of 1873. The common people's burdens were doubled, and the rich man's money will buy twice as much of the products of labor now as then; society is drifting into the permanent classes of master and slave.

The simplicity of the Fathers of the Republic is forgotten; we no longer have the great respectable middle class as in former days. It is dying out.

These are sad facts, which are terrible to contemplate, because they are true!

The bankers of the world are fighting for gold. Russia wants $40,000,000 as a start to gold resumption. The conspiracy to force the world to make gold the standard will crush the nations that try it. The smothered silver rebellion in America will break out beyond control.—Item.

DEMOCRATIC X ROADS.

Description of a Marvellous Town --The Characteristics and Oddities of the Inhabitants.

THE SHAPE OF THE CITY.

Office Holding the Great Avocation of the Upper Classes—Others Supported by Pensions and Official Patronage—All Whoop up the man who Named his Baby Marion.

For The Caucasian.]

DEMOCRATIC X ROADS, Aug. 10th, 1895. This noteworthy town is built upon a sandy foundation, on sand-stone pillars Babylon may boast of her Hanging Gardens, Egypt of her Pyramids, but this city prides itself upon its Pharoahic Chieftain astride the Golden Calf.

The form of the city is an elongated circle, compressed in the half centre into the shape of the air bladder of a mud sucker. General confusion prevails. Their language has not been confounded, but their tongues confound every other city, town and hamlet that manifests an anti-disposition to their mode of government.

Some of their citizens are very wealthy; others are so poor that it takes two to sing the bass line to a gold bug doxology. Office-holding is the great avocation of the upper classes, but many are enabled to support themselves by the aid of pensions and official patronage.

An officer here is about synonymous with the ancient hairy man who sold his birthright for a mess of pottage. When they get an office they are free men no more. They are expected to go when their master says go and come when he says come. If they refuse to do as he bids and "ran" for the X Roads, off comes their political narrative and henceforth and forever they are a bob-tailed puppy.

The underlings, and cob-wobblers have no occupation whatever, but live upon the far away-smiles of the rider-in-chief, which are handed down by the officer in charge of the Interior Department.

They promise much but perform little, and the more they say they'll do a thing the more they don't do it.

Their argument on the vexed money question amounts to about thusly: The less money there is the more there will be in circulation, and the sounder it is the safer it will be in the Wall street banks.

The late scare crow here was "low tariff" which signified anything from tax knee high to a duck, to revenue as high as Mitchell's Peak. Their bimetallic butter is made from the same old "mooly" cow whose pedigree dates back to the breaking of the Tables of stone at Sinai. Their music is made from the eight notes of monometalism—m-o-n-o-me-tal-ism!—and the gouty feet of the aged as well as the nimble "fantastic toe" mark time to the gold bug waltz.

The city has an imaginary wall surrounding it as high as that in the land of Nimrod. The inhabitants think this make believe structure is kangaroo proof, but many are jumping it on their way to the City of Refuge. Nevertheless some are so wanting in intelligence that they imagine that as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so they must be lifted up in order to get over it.

They have even made and have on exhibition in the public places a serpent of the boar-constrictor type. He is painted in bronze color, but his forked tongue is one prong gold and the other silver.

I am passing off here under a "nick-deplume" as a political life insurance agent, but Holmes' villiany has paralized my occupation. A citizen asked me yesterday if I would insure Grover for four years, but I answered "nary time." He insisted, saying that no other President had done so much for the Old North State. I enquired how? Why, said he, he has gone and named his pretty little third girl baby after your great Senator Butler—MARION! Every Pop in your State ought to be proud of him for that and pile in the votes for him in '96. Then he walked off as if he had done as much for his country as our late Congressmen who promised so much and did so little.

I thought to myself—what wont these Democrats do to carry their points. HAPPY HARRY HUNT.

Not Dying Out.

Some Eastern papers quoted Senator Peffer as saying that the silver sentiment is dying out in the West and South. To the reporter of a Topeka journal he makes the following denial:

"I have been misquoted in the New York papers about the subsidence of the silver sentiment. What I did say was that the silver sentiment is spreading constantly wider and wider among the people, and that the pyrotechnic part of the business, the calling of meetings, passing of resolutions and hurrahing had been passed, and that now the subject is being discussed in the home and hamlets, and in small assemblies, and that they will be heard from at the polls. I believe the whole West and South are practically unanimous for the restoration of the free coinage system as it existed under the law of 1837."

In 1890 the horses of the United States were valued at $975,000,000. At present they are valued at about $576,000,000, although there are a million more of them.—Philadelphia Item.

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No party except the Populist has ever done that (declared against single gold standard) in national convention and there is no present probability that any other ever will.--Charlotte Observer.--Goldbug Dem.

WE DEMAND THE FREE AND UNLIMITED COINAGE OF SILVER AND GOLD AT THE PRESENT LEGAL RATIO OF 16 TO 1.—PEOPLE'S PARTY PLATFORM.

ONLY TEN DAYS MORE

Many readers of the CAUCASIAN have acted as a *committee of one* during the past week, and sent in a club of ten or more. Some have sent in more than one club.

The CAUCASIAN would be glad to make the Ten cent offer permanent, but the only fund it has is that which comes from its readers, and the offer we now make will help exhaust that fund. There is actual monetary loss in the offer, and we *must withdraw* it on September 15th,

Now, if this offer is to be appreciated all around, let it be shown. Any Reformer may find out how many CAUCASIANS go to his post office. He can put *ten more* there for *three months* by collecting one dollar. "Faith without works is dead."

Let's have one united pull now, and spread the paper over the State. We are trying to make a strong, dignified paper. Let's have your aid, quick!!

We will send The CAUCASIAN three months, in clubs of ten **new subscribers**, for *ten cents* for all orders made before Sept. 15th. Of course it will be understood that this offer is not made for profit. It is made for the purpose of securing **new** readers for The CAUCASIAN that they may see what the paper is doing.

THREE MONTHS FOR TEN CENTS in clubs of ten. This offer holds good for fifteen days only.

Let every reformer see that at least one club **of ten new names** is made up in his vicinity. Let everybody strike one blow now to expose and overcome the shylock work of that 52 William street Reform club.

Let at least ten thousand copies of the paper be scattered among the reading people under the above proposition.

This offer applies to **new** subscribers only.

DR. THOMPSON'S REMARKS ON THE CHURCH.

"When the church comprehends its mission, the men at the altar will crowd the Alliance. The church to-day stands where it has always stood—on the side of human slavery—and not on the side of liberty. I thank God that even the pulpit is learning that we must live now as hereafter."

The above is an extract from a speech made by Dr. Cyrus Thompson, the new President of the State Alliance, at Cary, August 15th. The Democratic press has thrown up its hands in holy horror at the utterance. It has applied the epithets, "anarchy," "socialism," "blasphemous" and the like to this statement. But not in *one single instance* has any Democratic paper *attempted to prove* that the statement is false.

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It is astounding to note the joy and glee with which these papers pounce upon anything emanating from an Allianceman when they think they can use it for the purpose of bringing discredit on that order or any member of it. If they have an aim or a purpose to do anything these days beyond attempting to cast opprobium on the people and the people's representatives, it is not discoverable.

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It is not within the province of the work of the CAUCASIAN to pose as a champion of what Dr. Thompson may say, but we wish to remark that he is not a man who makes an utterance unadvisedly, nor is he a man who is ever driven to the necessity of saying a harsh thing simply because he has nothing else to say. This is much more than can be said of the Democratic press of the State. Being somewhat acquainted with his intellectual capacity, and knowing his character as we do, we have no hesitancy in saying that Dr. Thompson KNEW he was speaking the truth when he gave expression to the paragraph above. We will go one step further right here, and dare any paper in the State to a controversy on the matter, provided Dr. Thompson will enter one.

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We are conscious of having indulged in a positiveness here that may jar the sensibilities of a great many people whose attachment to the "church" is more a result of fine sentiment than of actual knowledge; and it is probably incumbent upon us to sustain our position at least to some extent This we can easily do. But we must be understood fully and clearly as not confounding real, practical "Christianity" with the "church." In other words, we are speaking of the "church"—*not* "Christianity."

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It is not necessary for our purpose here to refer to the days of the Inquisition, when the church attempted to enslave both the body and mind. We need not cite particulars of the conditions which led to the Reformation some centuries later, nor go into an elaboration of what existed in the meantime. We may come right down to the latest times—to conditions which existed in the lifetime of men who are living to-day. We will give an illustration or two, and then let the matter rest unless more is called for.

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Rev. Thornton Stringfellow, D. D., of Richmond, Va., was a representative minister of the Gospel not a great while ago. He argued and asserted that "there was authority " from God himself to hold men and " women and their increase in slavery, and to transmit them as " property forever; that God gave " plenary power to govern them, " whatever measure of severity it " may require," &c., &c.

This is one instance in many in which eminent leaders in the "church" were on the side of human slavery.

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Now, let's see where the church stood. "The Cyclopedia of Biblical, Theological and Ecclesiastical Literature" is an authoritative publication on all matters concerning church status. It says:

"The relation of the churches to the question of slavery involved grave inconsistencies of practice among Evangelical churches at least. The Roman Catholic and Protestant Episcopal churches never expressed an authoritative condemnation of slavery, and in the war for the Union the influence of the Papal church was emphatically favorable to the South; but other churches were OPPOSED IN PRINCIPLE to slavery while they TOLERATED IT IN PRACTICE, and tried hard to persuade themselves that it was right. In each denomination of Protestants, except the Protestant Episcopalian, the remarkable fact came to pass that churches in slave-holding communities became the defenders—of slavery."

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If the Democratic papers had known enough of history to have been familiar with facts like these, they would probably not have been so hasty and rash. But it actually seems that knowledge is an unknown quantity with them, and they apparently do not regard it as a necessity in journalism.

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We desire to say that we have given but few facts, because of limited space. They could be multiplied if it were necessary.

And now we must respectfully ask the esteemed Charlotte Observer and Atlanta Constitution to publish the above facts with comment. We really expected those papers to know better than to burn their fingers, but we did not expect the majority of Democratic papers to know anything about it, and—they didn't.

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As to that part of the paragraph which says "the church *to-day* stands where it has always stood," &c., we have to say that there is a slavery which does not involve the bondage of the body *per se*. It is manifest on every hand at this hour. We would be delighted to be informed of some authoritive church movement looking to the abolition of that slavery.

LIGHT ON THE CASE OF PROF. BEMIS

The press—even the plutocrat press—is disclosing some facts which clearly proves that Prof. Bemis was forced out of his position in the Chicago University by corporate influence. A Chicago correspondent writes the New York Voice on this matter from which the following is summarized:

Not long ago a prominent officer of the gas trust, already controlling the gas supply of over forty cities, said to the Professor: "Professor Bemis, we can't and don't intend to tolerate your work any longer. It means millions to us; and if we can't convert you we are going to down you." And the trust proceeded to carry out its scheme to down him.

First, by refusing to give the customary reduction in gas rates to the University so long as Prof. Bemis was connected with it.

Second, by securing a call from the subservient administration for Prof. Bemis' resignation.

The gas trust, by common report, is being sustained by the Standard Oil Company, the head of which, John D. Rockfeller, endowed the University. These corporations may have a right to discharge any Professor who doesn't suit their views. But the public will now always know what to think of such a school and how to discount all its teachings on subjects allied in any way with the money interests. The world will know that the stamp of monopoly must hereafter be upon that sort of teaching and also UPON THE PROFESSOR WHO CONSENTS TO FILL THE VACANT CHAIR.

UNION THROUGH THE PEOPLE'S PARTY.

A multiplicity of evidence could be adduced to show that the true method of union of all forces favoring free silver is through the People's party. But to minds perverted by prejudice, and eyes blinded by partisanism, the strongest evidence simply appears to be counter-partisanism. One or two illustrations are presented here, however, to show to the readers of the CAUCASIAN that the People's party is the only one to which the people all over the country are looking with hope:

WORCESTER, MASS., Aug. 30, 1895.

Publishers Caucasian:

Enclosed find $1.00, price of paper for coming year, which please send to my address. If every issue is as good as copy of August 29, it is a splendid paper.

The people of Massachusetts hate a Southern Democrat ("*politically*"), but when we become Populists we love and honor a Southern Populist.

Yours, &c., ———.

A touch of sympathy and union is also shown by the following letter:

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.

The Caucasian:

Please find enclosed $1.00 for one hundred copies of Sibley's speech.

EDWARD CLAYSON,
Cor. 4 and Pike,
Seattle, Wash.

WHICH IS RIGHT—BLAND OR MORGAN?

The Democratic State Convention of Missouri declared squarely for free silver and against national banks. When Mr. Bland was asked what the silver Democrats of his State would do if the Democratic National Convention put up a monopolist and a goldbug for President, he said that they would fight him and vote for a man who was a patriot, honestly opposed to the whole goldbug scheme.

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Senator Morgan, in his speech in Georgia, said that goldbuggery was the greatest curse of the age, but that if his party told him to vote for that curse, he would do it. Which is the better friend of silver? Which is the safest man to follow? Which is a patriot, and which is a party server?

Is not Senator Morgan doing just what the goldbugs would have him do? The only way the goldbugs can win is for silver men to follow managers' advice.

THE LIBERTY BELL.

Senator Butler has been trying to ascertain what the reasons are for carrying "Liberty Bell" around through Tennessee, and avoiding North Carolina on the route to Atlanta, and who was responsible for it. The managers of the Exposition have written that they are not responsible for the route. The authorities in Philadelphia, who it seems arranged the route, have not yet given any reason for the course they have pursued.

The CAUCASIAN asks again, why has North Carolina been ignored? Why has the "Bell" been taken four hundred miles out of the way through Tennessee and three stops (of no historic import) made, while North Carolina, on a direct line, with the greatest historic points, is given the go-by? There is the best of reasons for the "Bell" to go 1,000 or more miles out of its way, if necessary, to come through this State.

LET THE BELL COME ON.

The Richmond Times, referring to Senator Butler's zeal to have the Liberty Bell come through North Carolina on its way to or from the Atlanta Exposition, for the reason that the first and last two battles were fought on North Carolina soil, and the Declaration of Independence was first adopted in Mecklenburg county, says that "Senator Butler overlooks the fact that these events occurred over a hundred years ago, and when there was no Populists in North Carolina." Evidently.—Charlotte Observer.

For sure! One hundred years ago there were true, honest independent men in North Carolina who were the first to declare against monarchial monopoly and British rule. They did this in 1775—one year before the nation did it—and they did it in spite of cringing tory curses and abuse. The descendants of those people are now here, and in 1894-'5 they again declared against monarchial monopoly and British rule—a year before the nation will do it; and they did it in spite of cringing tory curses and abuse. Let the bell come on through North Carolina.

MONOPOLY COLLEGES.

Prof. Bemis, the professor of political economy in the Chicago University, has been asked to resign because he refuses to teach the students that trusts and the gold standard are right. This is the university built by Rockefeller and the Standard Oil Trust. If Prof. Bemis had been willing to sell his conscience and political principles for gold, the public would never have heard anything about it; but on the other hand, the goldbug press would have spoken complimentary of him, as one of the greatest authorities on political economy of the age.

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We fear that there are some colleges in this State that have gotten money from the trusts and goldbugs. Let the people be on their guard. It is easy for a university professor to poison the minds of the young men who are his pupils.

WHAT SILVER DEMOCRAT WILL TAKE IT UP?

A goldbug has placed a check for $250 in the hands of Mr. J. P. Caldwell, editor of the Charlotte Observer, and says that he will wager it against $200 that the next national Democratic convention does not declare for the free independent and unlimited coinage of silver at 16 to 1. If the silver Democrats can not except this challenge, how can they consistently stay in the goldbug Democratic party and claim that they can get free silver in it?

SENATOR BUTLER ON THE SILVER CONFERENCE.

An Associated Press reporter asked Senator Marion Butler in Concord, N. C., last week, what he thought of the silver conference of Senators Harris, Jones and Turpie. He said:

"I understand that the men who are engineering the silver conference in Washington have said that they will stay in the Democratic party, even if it nominated a goldbug for President. If this is true, then they are not honest free silver men; but, on the other hand, are the most valuable and effective agents of the goldbugs, for they can get silver men to vote the goldbug ticket that all the goldbug men in the country cannot persuade to do so."

Reform is spreading. Associate Justice Brewer, of the United States Supreme Court, shows symptoms of the contagion. In a speech made before the American Bar Association, at Detroit last week; he said:

"The truth of it is, brethren, that in our desire to perfect a system of administration, one which shall finally extract from confused masses of facts and fiction the absolute and ultimate varieties, we forget that tardy justice is often gross injustice."

He also very tersely and truthfully said:

"It would be a blessing to the community and to the profession as well if some deluge would engulf half of those who have a license to practice law."

He made these utterances when he was discussing the tardy administration of justice, and was condemning the men and methods by which the execution of the law is so often delayed.

A man on a Charlotte street car remarked last night that he had just sold 100 bales of cotton at 8 cents a pound. Last year, when cotton was selling at 5 cents, the low price was charged to the demonetization of silver. Silver is as much demonetized now as it was last year, isn't it? If so, and if the demonetization of silver carried the price down to 5 cents in 1894, how comes the rize of 60 per cent. in less than a year's time? It would strike the average intelligence that some other cause had been at work—some inconsequential thing, perhaps, like the law of supply and demand, for instance."—Charlotte Observer.

Oh! say, now. Tell us if the man who *sold* this cotton was the man who *raised* it? We expected cotton to go up as soon as all of it left the hands of the producer. Didn't you?

It is almost piteous to see and hear the doleful whines and appeals of some Democratic papers to their partyites to "drop the silver question!" Well, we do not see why they shouldn't. They don't know what to do with it. They are not responsible for and can take no credit for its prominence today. The People's Party brought it to the front and will keep it there. Democratic partizens may proceed to drop, but the procession will proceed all the same.

The street car companies at Atlanta have announced that they will charge ten cents during the exposition for the trips they now give for five cents. A cry against "gouging" has been raised. All this sort of trouble will be remeded when monopolis are taken and controlled and operated by national or municipal government, and not till then. That time will come when people get a wake.

Elsewhere is copied an editorial from the Philadelphia Item in reply to an inquiry by the CAUCASIAN. It shows that the bugaboo "Socialism" dodge is worked in the Northeast, like the negro bugaboo has been worked in the South. Read it. The Item is a daily paper with a circulation of nearly two hundred thousand copies, and is doing a great work for reform.

Cross-cut compliments are flitting between Hon. Thos. J. Jarvis and Col. Charlotte Observer. Mr. Jarvis gives his opinion to the effect that the Observer's recent editorial is "rot." Col. Observer unofficially announces that the ex-senator's name is Ichabob—or to speak in plain English, "Dennis." This is the way Priv. Sec'y. News and Observer sums up the status.

Next week we will announce the number of names received from the various postoffices under our ten cent offer. We wish we could include every postoffice in the State—especially those to which the CAUCASIAN is going. But to do this we must depend solely upon our friends.

Is our work worth working for? If so, join the ranks of workers. Get our papers going everywhere. You will see plenty of goldbug literature soon. It will be scattered "free of charge." The goldbugs can afford to do this—we cannot.

The Pennsylvania Republican convention has met. Quay was the boss. It declared for the gold standard.

We just tell you; when the Charlotte Observer gets mad, it can show its teeth—gold filled. It called us a "Populist paper" last week. Wouldn't say "CAUCASIAN." Said "contemptible" and "whipper snapper" and considerable other rot, but didn't say anything sensible. It couldn't. It was all about that 3½ cent cotton.

The Charlotte Observer "headline's" Matt. Ransom as a *gentleman and public spirited citizen*, and in the same paper quotes some bosh from the Atlanta Constitution concerning Dr. Cyrus Thompson in which appears the words "socialism" and "anarchy" Good Lord!!

Friend, we are already gaining. But we want a unanimous endorsement of the people's cause next year. You can help some by sending in ten new names to whom we will send The CAUCASIAN three months for ten cents each. See offer.

The "manipulators" are beginning to talk about the "probability" of another issue of bonds. They have been talking about the "possibility" some weeks. In a short time they will talk about the "necessity."

When you hear politicians talking about "party harmony," they are then getting ready to sacrifice the principles of Jefferson and make a deal with the monopolists and gold bugs.

When a free silver Democrat tells you he is for free silver, ask him what he is going to do when the Democrat party nominates a gold bug for President next year.

It has actually gotten so that the Democratic papers admit they are losing ground, and that a very weak string is tied to what they still holding.

The deficit in the Treasury is officially put down at $43,941,589. That is a nice exhibit for one year of the Wilson bill.

Why does the "Liberty Bell" go one hundred miles out of its way to keep from going through North Carolina?

THE SUMMNER LAW SCHOOL.

An Unusually Successful Session—Thirty-one Students in Attendance.

For the Caucasian.]

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Aug. 29.

The Summer Session of the "University Law School" has been an unusually successful one. There have been in attendance the following students:

Abernathy, C. L., Beaufort.
Anderson, Geo. G., Caswell Co.
Aston, Bernard McKay, Greenville, Tennessee.
Austin, S. F., Clayton.
Batchelor, Van Astor, Nash Co.
Brinson, S. M., New Berne.
Buie, Wm. Douglas, Clarkat.
Butler, Marion, Elliot.
Bruse, Wm. L., Jr., Asheville.
Cade, Baylus, Franklinton.
Cook, John M., Elon College.
Dixon, J. W., Montgomery Co.
Dockery, O. H., Jr., Mangum.
Gaskill, J. R., Tarboro.
Green, S. L., Clyde.
Greyson, Wm. J., Asheboro.
Hare, Starkey, Lunis.
Hughes, H., Elon College.
Justice, G. W., Asheville.
McCorkle, C. M., Newton.
McNeill, Jas. W., Wilkesboro.
Mewborne, S. G., Green Co.
Overman, H. J., Salisbury.
Pippin, P. J., Tarboro.
Price, A. H., Salisbury.
Rollins, T. S., Asheville.
Shannonhouse, F. M., Charlotte.
Shuford, Ernest, Haywood Co.
Walser, Z. I., Lexington.
Wilcox, Ed. G., Oxford.—Total, 31.

JOHN MANNING.

The Schools Have Bright Prospects.

The different colleges and high schools are just beginning to open now, and from all indications, there will be a larger attendance upon the colleges than ever before. President Winston says he expects 600 students at the University this fall. The State Normal and Industrial school's attendance will only be limited by its capacity this year. President Kilgo, of Trinity College, says the prospects for the opening this week are unusually bright.

Wake Forest College opened last week with the largest attendance on the first day in its history There were 125 at chapel the first morning.

A New Book on Silver by Capt. S. A. Ashe.

Edwards & Broughton have in print a book of about 175 pages called "A Day with the Professor and his Friends" being Familliar Chats on Free Coinage.

The subject is treated with the consideration that its great importance deserves—not lightly, but while in a familiar way, as a most serious question in its bearing upon the happiness and prosperity of the people.

There are four characters represented in the chats; one the Professor; one a New York Drummer, a gold man; one a Kansas Farmer, who is a Populist, and the other "The Major" who does the major part of the talking. The book is argumentative throughout, and facts, figures and cuts are used to illustrate the points made, and the result is reached that Free Coinage of Silver can be sucessfully begun and maintained in this country, independently of all other countries, without necessarily causing those panics, trade disturbances and financial convulsions that the gold men so loudly predict.

The price of the book is 25 cents.

Alliance Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of the State Farmers' Alliance, Messrs. A. F. Hileman, N. C. English and James M. Mewborne, were in session last week. They are working on matters of importance to the Order. They have under consideration the fertilizer contract for next year, which they have nearly completed, and which will give members of the Order rates from three to four dollars lower than the same quality of goods have ever been put on the market before. Those who wish to use fertilizers with wheat or oats this fall should correspond with the State Business Agent at once. This fertilizer will be ready for delivery after September 10, 1895.

Cholera's Fabulous Devastation.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—A Shanghai dispatch which The Chronicle will publish tomorrow says that official reports show thot there have been 40,000 deaths from cholera in Pekin during the present month.

WETMORE LEAVES THE DEMOCRATS.

Mr. L. B. Wetmore, a Pominent Young Lawyer, Renounces His Democratic Affiliations.

GOES TO THE REPUBLICANS.

The Reasons Assigned For His Step—Hundreds of Men Will Leave the Democracy in the Next Election—The Caucasian Thinks Mr. Wetmore's Reasons Open to Attack.

We reproduce below a letter written by Mr. L. B. Wetmore, a prominent young lawyer of Lincolnton, which appeared in the Lincolnton Courier. Mr. Wetmore announces his departure from the Democratic party and his union with the Republicans.

According to the view of the CAUCASIAN the strongest feature of Mr. Wetmore's letter is his determination to leave the present so-called Democracy, and his description of that organization is fairly presented in a general way.

The conditions under which he leaves the Democratic party, however, does not permit us to think that the cause of Reform has made a gain by Mr. Wetmore's defection. He declares himself in favor of "sound money" which is equivalent to saying that he favors the single gold standard. Therefore, in changing his political affiliation, he does not take up the cause of the people While declaring that he leaves the Democratic party, he carries to the Cleveland wing of that party as much as he carries away from the free silver element of it. But if he favors the single gold standard, and desires to align himself with a party that is more united on that principle than any other, he has taken the right step. Neither a silver man nor a gold standard man can give a good reason for remaining in the Democratic party, because that organization, while professing friendship to silver in its platforms, stabs and kills it when it comes up for recognition in the monetary laws of the land.

The CAUCASIAN does not endorse Mr. Wetmore's position, and thinks his letter open to effective criticism; but one thing is certain. He has done the sensible thing in cutting loose from a party, the record of which shows disgraceful failure to keep promises and a total lack of honor in adherence to principle.

"Will you allow me space to explain my political views to the people of this and adjoining counties? I ask this because some people have seen fit to be rather harsh than just in their criticisms upon what they choose to call my CHANGE of political views. I have time and again declared my views upon the money question that is now agitating the politics in this country, and it does seem to me that there is little need of my repeating my views upon that suject. I am for a sound dollar for the poor man as well as for the rich man. I can never endorse any system that will allow the rich man to hoard his gold and pay his poor creditors in a depreciated dollar, which is not worth what it purports to be on its face. No one more than I can feel a deeper regret or any more than I deplore the necessity which compels me to the step I am taking in leaving the Democratic party as now constitued and joining the Republican ranks. The Democratic party has been a grand old party in time past, and far from me is even the thought of heaping abuse upon the many good and noble men who are yet therein and who are now adhering to new and dangerous doctrines, which they say constitute true Democracy. They may be right, I know not; but I cannot bring my mind to the same conclusion. I trust the time will never come when I shall be found adhering to any party or position which I believe to be wrong, for the sake of consistency; and I hope I shall never pursue any political course after I am convinced that it is not right, because I am too cowardly to face the charge inconsistency. It has been well said, "an obstinate consistency is the hobgoblin of little minds and is much adored by little statesmen." There are hundreds of men in this and surrounding counties who are going to leave the Democratic party in the next election. I have well considered the step that I am now taking and I believe it not only right for me to take it, but it seems to be the only thing that men who think as I do, can conscientiously do. Again I say I MAY BE WRONG—let every man judge of the facts for himself. I have been an out and administration Democrat, and as such, living in North Carolina as I do, I say that the only ORGANIZED party in the Union which comes nearer than any other to expressing my views and wishes as to national politics, is the Republican party of to-day.

It sounds very well and there is poetry in the expression, "I have nailed my flag to the mast-head and will go down with my ship," but when the cold waters gurgle around you and political death stares you in the face, don't you think it is about time to give up the sentiment and poetry, jump into the life boat and be carried on board the old Republican ship where there is plenty of room for all, even if you do not like this staunch ship as well in all respects as you did the once beautiful ship which is foundering and which has been run upon the rocks of destruction, by a majority of her own crew who brought about the disaster by either willfully or ignorantly disobeying the orders of her brave captain, Grover Cleveland, who had carried the old ship safely through so many storms, only at last to see her scuttled by those on board.

The "Solid South" is no longer such so far as the Democratic party is concerned, and it is best for the new South, trying to raise herself out of the blood and ashes of the late war, that such is now the case. Northern capitalists will hesitate no longer to take advantage of the grand resources in the South which nature has lavished so abundantly upon us, which we have not had the capital to develop or to turn to any practical uses. The Democratic party is so torn and rent by internal and opposing factions, that it will prove true the Bible assertion, "a house divided against itself cannot stand." Besides this, it has lost many valuable men who will never re-enlist under its ONCE GLORIOUS banner.

Speaking more particularly of the Democratic party in North Carolina and the causes of its downfall, what do we find?

It is a party now without leaders; it is like a beaten army where most of the officers have been killed or "taken prisoner." The high privates in the rear rank (to which I belonged) are for the first time in their lives allowed (?) by force of circumstances to think and act for themselves. The causes for this state of affairs are manifold; most of them of an internal character. Here are some of them: The Democratic party in our State has been too intolerant, it would not allow any liberty of individual thought or action; and woe be unto that man who for conscience sake or otherwise, dared disobey the mandates of its self-constituted leaders. It weakly conceded many and vital points to the populistic element before that element broke finally away from them, and then it lashed and abused and hurled invectives against those very men to whom they had so gladly made concessions a short time ago.

It followed in Grover Cleveland's victorious train and partook greedily of the spoils his generalship had won, and it turned and bit, and is now biting, the hand that fed it.

It kept a great many good men out of the Republican party by holding up the negro as a "scarecrow," and then it not only sought, but obtained a large negro following in the last election.

It condemned the Populist-Republican alliance as something monstrous, unholy and unnatural, and yet the larger wing in the Democratic party to-day is endeavoring to do that very thing which they so heartily denounced in the Republicans, and the Democratic leaders have gone "a-courting" Miss Populist, and been laughed at by "Papa Butler" for their pains.

Again, it has been so heretofore that when a man was once put into office by the Democrats he considered he had a life tenure upon that office; and favoritism was so rampant that it rarely happened that the "horse that done the ploughing" ever got any of the fodder, except now and then a few bundles which the "carriage horses" kicked aside.

The above are only some of the reasons I would give to show why the Democratic party naturally fell to pieces.

Is this state of affairs likely to continue? I think it is, for years to come, at least. As a sound money man, and as a non-believer in State sovereignty, I will never go to that wing of the Democratic party, the men of whom I believe to be false to their brave leader, Mr. Cleveland; and there are thousands just like me. On the other hand, the opposing wing swear they will never come over, because they expect to get the Populist vote on their side.

Will either wing of the Democratic party capture the Populist vote? I think not, unless the Populists are dogs to be brought back under the lash that has already made them bleed; yea, rather will they not, even at a sacrifice to themselves, stand by the Republican party, which stood by them in the hour of need.

Fellow-citizens! awake from your Rip Van Winkle slumbers! Continue as you have begun, to think and act for yourselves. Let every man be a live factor in promoting his own and the best interests of his home and society at large. As the poet says:

"Be not like dumb driven cattle;
Be a hero in the strife,"

and get your names on the roll of honor when you hear the shouts which in 1876 will proclaim victory for the Republican party from one end to the other of this broad land.

L. B. WETMORE.

EX-SENATOR JARVIS AT MORGANTON.

He Preached Plain Populist Doctrine—Will Not Cross the Bridge Just Yet.

For the Caucasian.]

MORGANTON, N. C., Aug. 27.—After his speech here to-day Ex-Senator Jarvis owes it his intelligence and self-respect to declare unconditional allegiance to the Populist party. He said to-day what he has been saying in private and denying in public for a year or more. His speech to-day is the speech he intended to make in the campaign of 1894, when peremptori y called down at Goldsboro by the Ransom machine. He said indirectly what it is reported he said directly in the late Democratic Silver conference in Washington. He then said if he was forced to the alternative of voting for a goldbug candidate or a Populist he would vote the Populist ticket. In his speech to-day he made not even a public attempt to show the possibility of fr e coinage as a Democratic measure. He "thought," he said, "such a consummation possible, but conditional on a common agreement between Democrats and Populists." The abstract discussion of the silver question was sound and unanswerable Populist doctrine. He only repeated what Populist speakers have iterated and reiterated from every stump in the State when he said that the gold hoarders had compelled the demonetization of silver; had thereby purposely contracted the currency in the interest of the money power; effecting, what it intended to effect, a ruinous reduction of values in all farm products, and in all agricultural property. To state the proposition he said was to demonstrate it. 'No honest man can believe this doctrine,' said a prominent Populist, 'and vote the Democratic ticket.'"

When questioned, after the speech, as to his course in the event a gold man is nominated by the National Democratic Convention, he said that he "would not cross that bridge just yet."

It is the opinion of many who heard the speech that all Mr. Jarvis lacks of being a "crazy" Populist is an honest declaration of allegiance to the Populist party. When that is forthcoming, as many believe, the people will hear him with unaffected interest. The audience to-day was more curious to hear a declaration of party independence than it was interested in the abstract discussion of silver. That will save the distinguished citizen from the ugly suspicion that the purpose of his free silver campaign is to weaken and discredit fusion, and make the way clear for a Democratic victory in 1896.

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NORTH CAROLINA NEGROES.

...s a Call for a State Convention in September.

A call for a negro State convention has been issued, the date being September 11th. The call says:

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SHOE FACTORY.

RALEIGH, N. C. Aug. 25, 1894

To the Alliancemen and Women of North Carolina:

The State Alliance at its annual meeting at Cary, August 9th to 15th, 1895, laid out a plan of organization for shoe factory, etc. The plan will be published in the next issue of Progressive Farmer. We have on hand for factory $1,700 cash, and have pledges from delegates to State Alliance for their counties, amounting in all to about $2,500. We expect this much and more to be raised in the next thirty days. I advise that Sub Alliances hold call meetings on Saturday, the 7th day of September, to consider this matter, and that County Alliances be held on Thursday following, the 12th of September, for the same purpose. I advise that such subscriptions be taken and those who cannot pay cash on that day give pledges to their Alliances for what they wish to subscribe, to be paid not later than November 1st, 1895. Let county and sub officers take a call at once for these meetings. No time for delay. The factory should be in operation by October 1st. What say you, my brethren? Do not delay, or you will be to late to be in the swim." Every Alliance man and woman should do something towards starting this work. The Alliance shoe factory and tannery will be put to work and will be turning out shoes and leather before some of you get ready to help if you do not hurry. Let me hear from you as soon as action has been taken by your Alliance.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

"Democracy is Immortal"—But Vance Never Said the Democratic Party Was.

OPINION FROM BUFFALO

Of Grover Cleveland—The Stranded Political Ships—People Leaving Them for the New People's Party Vessel—Votes and Prayers From Georgia

"Democracy is Immortal"—But not the Democratic (?) Party

For the Caucasian.]

WHITAKERS, N. C., 31.—When one who has been vilified, abused, denounced as a crank for entertaining a belief—supporting his convictions by a free exercise of the ballot, witnesses the flopping that is now going on with the day—those who cried tariff! tariff!! was the sole cause of our woes, now more vehement in their cry for "financial reform." if possible, than the "moss back" Populist, is he not justified in the belief that "time rights all things" —that he has lived to behold his vindication?

I read to day that Governor Carr has signed the call for a convention of the free silverites? Will the silverites "get together?" My candid opinion is that they will not. Partisanism is too strong. North Carolina Democracy, (?) though it is well nigh defunct, must stil presume to dominate. In this they are just a bit "previous" I for one, can not be enticed in that fold again.

As Populists let's stand to our colors. We have been in the "middle of the road"—the road that leads to financial freedom. Let's stay there. We hold out a welcome to all who are willing to join us—the right of way is ours. Let there be no sidetracking, I'm enlisted for the war. Taxation must be shifted. Let the battle cry be "Free silver and a graduated income tax," and we "will get there Eli," and don't you forget it. Yes, for Reform till "—— freezes over"—to borrow from the late "Gov." Vance. May his soul rest in peace. I loved him in life—I echo the sentiment which his life asserted; "*Democracy is still immortal.*" Never a bit did he say or believe that "the Democratic (?) party was immortal." Vance's vision was not so ephemeral—he stood on the mountain top and scanned the future with the eyes of a Populist—*the peoples tribune.* The vision which entranced him was the people's triumph, and triumph they will.

M. J. BATTLE.

The Stranded Ships.

For The Caucasian.

SAINT LEWIS, N C., Aug. 22.—The two once great political ships of the Democratic and Republican parties, that have been plowing the great southern and western political seas with safety, seems to be, at this period, out in the waters of these great seas without sail, rudder or anchor.

Notwithstanding the many lengthy editorials, speeches and lectures by the press and politicans, they have se far under the "single standard," "confidence" "machine" failed to manufacture even confidence enough to patch one sail, mend a rudder or make an anchor. Yet in the crippled condition of these old partisan ships, their captains still continue to engineer, plead and practice the "single standard" confidence. They are trying to sail under the pretence that progress, prosperity and happiness depends entirely on "confidence," and the result is that an overproduction of confidence and an underproduction of money have produced everything else in the South and west but progress, prosperity and happiness. I feel sure that it will be an uphill business for the captains to ever manufacture material enough in these two sections, in the name of "confidence" to remove their old partisan ships from their present "confidential" position. If they fail in this, and then fail to get in the double standard, money industry they are surely lost; and worst of all, they become their own destroyers. The passengers have lost confidence in these old captains and are fleeing for safety to the new People's Party ship, which is the "double standard" and will take them from the sea of wreck and depression in which they have been tossed and sickened for years.

J. I. LEWIS.

Disgraceful and Devilish From the Beginning.

For the Caucasian.]

OVID, NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—I have read with much interest an extract from your speech at Concord, August 14th. It covered the grounds touching Clevelands *infamous acts.* I five only 120 miles from Buffalo, N. Y. His life has been disgraceful and devilish from the beginning.

I think that nine-tenths of the people believe he sold himself and country for gold long ago, and more than nineteen-twentieths of the people of the United States think and believe as you and I do, that he is a traitor to his country, a villian and should be in State prison at hard labor. More than nineteen-twentieths of the people would willingly sign their names with yours to all you said in your truthful, popular speech against him. God bless you.

P. S. I have voted the Democratic ticket more than forty-five years, but traitor Cleveland has divided the party for gold.

I will go for free coinage of silver forever. It is Rothschilds and his demon associates united with the millionaire citizens of the United States who expects to succeed and ruin the country.

For the last thirty years I have studied the finance question; have corresponded with many leading Senators and members of Congress. I have lately received a letter from Senator Blackburn thanking me for my letter to him.

SILAS M. KINNE.

Votes and Prayers in Georgia.

For the Caucasian.]

SIBBIE, Ga., Aug. 30.—Your valuable paper is looked for with an eager eye, and column after column is thoroughly persued to see what the *great reform leader* is doing with the Democrats. We can only say: God speed the day when the reform party can have the chance that the last Congress had. I would that every friend to the CAUCASIAN would feel and do his or her duty by sending at least one or more subscribers to the best and most sought for of any weekly or daily of the "Old North State." Yes, a paper that is fit for father and mother to bring their children up in the nurture and training of a nonpartisan party. We can only promise you our prayers, and our vote here for a reformer.

H. M. WARREN.

Populists Are Thick.

For the Caucasian.]

WOODVILLE, N. C., Aug. 26.—I would flood the country with your paper if I had the money. I think it is the best paper I ever read. The Populists are thick down here, but we have gotten to be the poorest people in the world I am, yours very truly, the strongest Populist in the "Old North State."

E. E. WHEDBEE.

Hoke to Grover.

Gray Gable ended Grover, dear,
Your song of goldbug metre
Is sung by half a dozen here,
And nothing's to me sweeter.

I've sung it high—I've sung it low,
In every town and city,
But many will not hear it—no—
My calf, but it's a pity!

I've even told them how you like
The people here around us,
And how you popped me up "Big Ike,"
But they respond, "confound us!"

But legions chant that silver song
And things are looking gorgey,
So I am coming home ere long
For "hell's broke loose in Georgia."

H. H. H.

RANSOM IS UNLUCKY.

Troubles in Regard to His Appointment are Not Yet Ended—He will Not Get His Salary.

WASHINGTON, D. D., Aug. 30.—Minister Ransom's troubles have not ceased. First his salary was withheld for months, then his appointment as Minister was declared illegal, and the office vacated. It was thought the reappointment by the President on August 24th would end the complications, but Deputy Auditor of the Treasury Willie has decided that Minister Ransom cannot draw his salary until he is confirmed by the Senate. The provision of law upon which he bases his opinion is as follows:

"No money shall be paid from the Treasury as salary to any person appointed during a recess of the Senate to fill a vacancy in any existing office if the vacancy existed while the Senate was in session, and was by law required to be filled by or under the advice and consent of the Senate until such appointee has been confirmed by the Senate."

Mr. Willie holds that the decision of his chief, Auditor Holcomb, that Mr. Ransom's first appointment was illegal, and that he was, therefore not entitled to draw salary meant nothing, if it did not mean that since the death of Minister Gray there has been no Minister to Mexico. That being the case, he holds that Mr. Ransom's appointment now comes under the provision of law quoted, as a recess appointment, made to fill a vacancy existing while the Senate was in session. A further question is raised as to whether, when confirmed, Mr. Ransom's accrued salary since the date of his last appointment can be paid, or whether he will have to look for relief to Congress, as in the case of his first appointment, but on this point Mr. Willie is not prepared to express an opinion.

DEATH OF HON. OCTAVIUS COKE.

A Malignant Case of Fever Proves Fatal to the Secretary of State.

Octavius Coke, Secretary of State, died in Raleigh, Aug. 30th, after five weeks illness of typhoid fever, during nearly all of which time he was delirious.

He was born at Williamsburg, Va. in 1841, his father being a wealthy planter there. At the beginning of the war he entered the Confederate service and served gallantly throughout the war, attaining the rank of captain. He was severely wounded at Sharpsburg. He became a lawyer soon after the war and located at Edenton, N. C., where he married Miss Elizabeth Wood. In 1876 he was elected State Senator. In 1879 he married Miss Kate Fisher, of this city, and made Raleigh his home, becoming a planter as well. In 1880 he was elected Democratic State chairman and thereafter was always a prominent figure in State politics.

In April, 1891, on the death of Col. Wm. L. Saunders, Governor Fowle appointed him Secretary of State to fill the vacancy, and the following year he was unanimously nominated by his party and elected.

He was a brother of Senator Richard Coke, of Texas; J. A. Coke and Alexander Coke, prominent attorneys of Richmond, Va., and Dr. L. C. Coke, of Bertie county, N. C. He leaves a widow three sons and three daughters. He was regarded as one of the finest orators in the State.

The Council of State was convened by Governor Carr the morning after his death and the family was requested to permit the remains to lie in state in the rotunda of the Capitol. The family declined the request.

The Council of State adopted the following resolution: "That, in the death of Octavius Coke, we, his associates in the Executive Department of the State of North Carolina, have lost an able counsellor and a warm friend, and the State a faithful and distinguished officer; and we tender to his family our sincere sympathy in their great affliction."

THE NEW SECRETARY.

Mr. Chas. M. Cooke, of Franklin, Succeeds Octavius Coke as Secretary of State.

Hon. Charles M. Cooke, of Louisburg, has been appointed Secretary of State by Governor Carr, to succeed the late Octavius Coke.

Mr. Cooke's appointment was in the nature of a surprise. He had not been mentioned in connection with the office while the names of Capt. T. W. Mason and Capt. S. A. Ashe had been specially urged upon the Governor for appointment. They received endorsements from many high sources. Other names suggested to Governor Carr were those of Mr. N. B. Broughton, Mr. W. P. Batchelor, Mr. Wm. R. Williams, of Pitt, and Mr. W. A. Blair.

Mr. Cooke was born in Franklin county, was educated at Wake Forest and served through the war. Was admitted to the practice of law in '67. He was appointed Solicitor of this District by Governor Vance; has been a member of the State Senate and for three terms a member of the House of Representatives. Mr. Cooke has been prominent in politics in the State for a number of years. He was the Democratic nominee for Congress from the Fourth district last year.

TWO LIVES SAVED.

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Why he Will Now Stop Talking Finance--And Why The Goldbugs Will Vote for Him--Toughs Break up a Speaking at Eminence..Mr Sibley Making Silver Speeches to Large Crowds.

Special to the Caucasian.]

LOUISVILLE, Ky. Sept. 3.—The political situation in this State must be very confusing to the people in other States. A week ago Gen. Hardin and Col. Bradley met in Louisville in joint debate. They had refused to divide time with Hon. Thomas Pettit, the nominee of the People's party for governor. Everybody knows where Pettit stands, but were anxious to know what position these two candidates would take on the money question.

The Republican candidate declared for "sound money." Hardin declared for free silver and at the same time said he stood on the platform which endorses Cleveland and Carlisle. The gold men pretended to get very indignant. The Democratic State committee was at once called to meet last Saturday night, and General Hardin was summoned to appear before the committee and explain what he meant.

Some of the goldbugs said that he must come off the ticket. Gen. Hardin said he would stay on the ticket and on the platform and be for free silver too.

The committee then proposed that he say but little about the money question. He agreed to this.

And now the committee (controlled by the goldbugs) will send out an address calling on everybody to vote for Hardin. This looks strange, but it is not. That is, it is strange conduct, but every observing man in Kentucky understands it. Gen. Hardin agreed to accept the nomination on a gold platform. This trade was made before the convention met. The goldbugs were satisfied with it—in fact it was a gain for them. But since the convention adjourned the silver sentiment has grown and there has been great dissatisfaction among silver Democrats at the action of the convention and Gen. Hardin.

The People's Party was gaining by the thousands. It was necessary to do something. So it was agreed that Hardin should declare in his first speech that he was for silver and the Democratic committee was to kick. Then the whole matter was to be patched up by the goldbugs appearing to submit and vote for Hardin. By this game they hope to fool a number of honest free silver Democrats, but the people see through it already. The people will condemn and repudiate this dicker, this trade, this bare faced attempt to deceive.

The People's Party is gaining daily. Hon. Tom Pettit, the brilliant nominee for governor, will soon take the stump.

The sixth joint debate in the series of twelve which was to have taken place between Col. W. O. Bradley and Gen. P. Wat Hardin at Eminence, last Monday, was called off on account of the boisterous character of the crowd.

W. P. Thorne, Democratic candidate for the legislature and State Auditor Norman appealed to the disturbing element, which was composed of Democrats, to keep quiet and hear Col. Bradley, but he was jeered and howled down four times. Col. Bradley then declared he would not speak and that he would no longer continue the joint debate. Gen. Hardin was also disgusted and refused to speak. The meeting was then declared off.

Democrats are urging Secretary Carlisle to take an active part in the Kentucky campaign and to make series of speeches in favor of sound money. Persons well acquainted with the situation believe Hardin will fail of election.

Hon. J. C. Sibley is now making silver speeches in various parts of the State and is drawing large and enthusiastic crowds.

TO ORGANIZE SILVER CLUBS.

A Tidal Wave Strikes the People of Edgecombe County,

TO THE FRIENDS OF FREE SILVER: We, the undersigned, hereby extend an invitation to our fellow-citizens to unite with us in the formation of "Silver Clubs," the purpose being the dissemination of literature bearing upon the financial question.

We realize the fact that there must be unity of action in order to destroy the power and influence of the gold monometallists who, by their policy, are endeavoring to fasten upon us and perpetuate the single gold standard in this country, which means the ultimate destruction of the prosperity and happiness of the masses. Daniel Webster said that "liberty cannot long endure in any country where the tendency is to concentrate the wealth in the hands of the few." The Census Report of 1890 shows that 25,000 people now own half the wealth in this country; and to check this dangerous tendency is the purpose of the organization of the friends of the free and and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at a ratio of 16 to 1.

Upon a proper solution of the financial question in an honest and equitable manner depends the destiny of our great country, and we urge men of all political parties, who hold allegiance to principle paramount to every other consideration, to unite with us in an effort to restore silver to its ancient and constitutional place as primary money.

The meeting will be held at the Court House in Tarboro, N. C., on Monday, September 16th, 1895, at 3 o'clock p. m.

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MEETINGS OF THE PEOPLE.

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Public Speaking in Mecklenburg County.

Senator Marion Butler and Hon Walter R. Henry will speak at Pineville, Sept. 20, at 11 a. m. and at Charlotte, Sept. 20, at 8 p. m. The issues of the day will be discussed! The public invited.

Grand Alliance Rally.

Wayne county Alliance will have a grand Alliance rally at SALEM CHURCH, four miles north of Goldsboro, on Wednesday Sept. 25th 1895. Speakers will be announced later. All Alliancemen with their families and all persons friendly to the Alliance are invited to come with full baskets.

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A Free Silver Rally to be Held at Salisbury September 19th.

There will be a great free silver rally at Salisbury, Thursday, Sept. 19th. Free silver speakers from all parties will be invited. Among those who are expected to be present will be Senators Butler and Pritchard, Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., and Hon. Harry Skinner. The friends of reform desire to make this the biggest meeting ever held in this part of the State. Let every free silverite go to work to make it a grand success.

Grand Free Silver Picnic.

POWELLSVILLE, N. C., Sep. 2.—There will be a grand Free Silver Basket Picnic at Powellsville, Bertie county, on Thursday the 19th inst. Everybody invited, and all friendly to the free coinage of silver and more money—the money of the fathers—are requested to take baskets of refreshments along. Come out gentlemen and bring your wives and daughters with you.

Speakers for the occasion: Hon. W. H. Kitchin, Scotland Neck; Hon. M. L. Wood, of Bertie; H. P. Harrell, Bertie.

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GRAND RALLY

At the Thomasville Orphanage, Friday, September 20th, 1895.

Grand celebration and basket picnic, under the auspices of the Davidson County Farmer's Alliance. Procession will leave the depot at 9:40 and speaking at the Orphanage will begin promptly at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Pilgrim and Archdale Cornet bands will furnish music for the occasion.

Dr. Cyrus Thompson, president of the North Carolina State Farmer's Alliance, will be the morning orator, and Senator Marion Butler will deliver the afternoon address.

Everybody in Davidson and adjoining counties are cordially invited, and expected to be present with a well filled basket of victuals, to take part with the Alliance in feeding the orphans that day.

Shuford at Rocky Ridge.

Vestibule.]

Congressman A. C. Shuford spoke on the 20th at Rocky Ridge to an ordinary crowd. It had not been properly advertised, else a greater number would have been present. He was introduced by Sheriff Sims. He made an excellent speech. His handling of the finance question was a masterly effort. Mr. Shuford begged all to go to work to organize silver clubs. He wants to get all the silver forces together.

What Will be the Result?

Within the past few months Mr. Jarvis has said that if "the Democrats nominate a goldbug for President next year, I know one man who will not vote for him,"—Charlotte Observer.

* * *

Your correspondent yesterday met a business man, with large interests, who is a Democrat, and who said: "I see it stated that 85 per cent. of the Democrats are for free silver, and 15 per cent. for gold. Now, I want to say this; that if the Democrats put up a free silver man and the Republicans (as I am sure the latter will) a gold man for President, that 15 per cent. will vote the Republican National ticket."—Raleigh Correspondent Charlotte Observer.

'Ben Bolt' Writes Another Song.

Union Republican.]

Dr. Thomas Dunn English, the author of "Ben Bolt," who is now 76 years of age, is still remarkably vigorous. He began writing verses at 16 and says he is not through with it yet. He has just concluded a new song which he probably hopes will be the great American anthem It is dedicated to "Old Glory":—

Though crowns may break and thrones may fall,
Though changes may the world appal,
Our banner shall survive them all
And ever live in story,
The rainbow of a rescued land,
Where freemen brave together stand,
With truth and courage hand in hand,
Floats proudly here Old Glory.

Refrain:—
Old Glory, Old Glory,
Floats proudly here, Old Glory,
Old Glory, Old Glory! Hurrah for you,
Old Glory!

In days we fought with George the Third,
When Independence was the word,
One voice, from rising manhood heard
As well as old age hoary.
One purpose then we had in view,
To form of States a union true,
And eyes and hearts were turned to you.
Our banner, grand Old Glory

The North Carolina Peach.

Sanford Express.]

The North Carolina peach is attracting the eye of the world with its beauty and flavor. The New York Sun, as has been said, recently complimented the Southern Pines peach, and now here comes a paper from Maine that the State that lies far to the North, raising the North Carolina peach. The Portland Transcript says:

A short time ago we spoke of the Georgia peach, of its size and fine flavor, but it seems that North Carolina is producing a superior kind also.

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DEMOCRACY AND SILVER.

Eleven Free Coinage Bills Killed in Nine Years by the Democratic Party.

Hon. Frank Burkitt's Paper.]

To the People's party is due the credit of agitating this money question for years past. It is the only national party that ever declared for 16 to 1 or any other ratio, and in all its efforts to arouse the people on this vital subject it has had to contend with both the old parties. Now that the people have become fairly educated, and are beginning to understand not only the cause of their misfortunes, but also, who are responsible for them, the treacherous old Democracy flops over and pretends to be silver's best and only available friend. That this claim is wholly unfounded any unprejudiced man will understand when he examines the record made by the party. Here it is:

1. The 49th Congress having a Democratic majority of 42, on April 8, 1886, killed a bill providing for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1.

2. The 52d Congress having a Democratic majority of 148, on the 24th day of March, 1892, killed a free coinage bill at a ratio of 16 to 1.

3. The same Congress on July 13th of the same year, overwhelmingly defeated another free coinage bill, 16 to 1, AFTER IT HAD PASSED A REPUBLICAN SENATE, and when it was well understood that a Republican President, although individually opposed to free silver, had said he would approve it, if passed by the Democratic House.

4. On the 23d of August, 1893, the 53d Congress called in extra session by Mr. Cleveland defeated a bill providing for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1 by a two-thirds vote. This Congress had a Democratic majority over both Republicans and Populists of 83, but the ten Pops voted for the bill, thus making the Democratic majority, if really in favor of free silver, 103 over the Republicans.

There were 217 Democrats on the floor of the House when this vote was taken, and ONE HUNDRED AND ONE VOTED FOR THE MEASURE, AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEEN VOTED AGAINST IT. So then it will be seen, if nobody but Democrats had been present and voting, the bill would have been defeated by A MAJORITY OF FIFTEEN.

5. On the same day, namely, August 23, 1893, the same Democratic Congress voted down a second proposition to coin silver free, at a ratio of 17 to 1 by a still greater majority.

6. On the SAME day this same Congress voted down another proposition, looking to "the parity" of the two metals at 18 to 1.

7. On the SAME DAY another bill providing for the free coinage of silver at 19 to 1 was defeated.

8. ON THE SAME DAY, another proposition looking to the free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 20 to 1 was snowed under in a Democratic House.

And thus it was FIVE BILLS providing for the free and unlimited coinage of silver were beaten in a representative body now professing to be the friend of the white metal as fast as the clerk could call the roll. And don't forget, honest Democratic reader, that in every solitary instance, A MAJORITY OF YOUR DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMEN VOTED AGAINST SILVER, and in favor of the single gold standard.

9. On November 1, 1893, the 53d Congress, with its 83 Democratic majority over all, voted down an amendment offered by Mr. Bland to a pending bill, which amendment provided for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at 16 to 1.

10. On October 27, 1893, the U. S. Senate, having a Democratic majority of three over all, and when the four Populist Senators were counted for silver the majority over the Republicans was eleven, defeated Senator Stewart's amendment providing for free coinage of silver at 16 to 1

11. In February, 1895, the 53d Congress being in session with a Democratic majority in both Houses, and a Democratic (so-called) Executive, the Finance Committee of the Senate, with Dan Voorhees chairman, and a majority of Democrats on the committee, killed in the committee room the last proposition made for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1.

Thus it will be seen that in nine years the Democratic party in Congress has killed eleven free silver bills, and wholly failed and refused to rebuke "the crime of '73"

When the party had the power to restore free silver it refused. Now that it is powerless to do anything, its leaders, especially in the South, are profuse in their promises, that they intend to do right next time. The man who says he believes they are in earnest this time is either a credulous idiot or knowingly aiding in making another platform "to get in on," and wilfully deceiving the public.

Is Carlisle to be a Candidate?

Atlanta Constitution.]

The Washington Post declares that Mr. Cleveland has informed Mr. Carlisle that he must enter the Senatorial contest in Kentucky and, as a candidate, defeat Blackburn, who already has matters pretty much his own way. This is queer news, if true, and The Post is not given to the circulation of canards and sensations.

One thing is certain—if Cleveland has told Carlisle that he must enter the race, Carlisle will enter it. That is a foregone conclusion. Cleveland told Carlisle that he must give up his convictions in regard to the restoration of silver, and straightway Carlisle gave them up, and he has never yet shown any signs of disobeying the slightest nod or hint of this presidential master. In fact, Carlisle has yielded such unquestioning and abject obedience to Cleveland that the contempt of honest men has not been unmixed with pity. For there are certain things about Mr. Carlisle that appeal to the imagination. He could easily have been a great man, and he has only fallen short of it by reason of the temperament that leads him to bend and yield to every whim and mood of Mr. Cleveland.

After all, we can only say what we said six months ago—poor Mr. Carlisle! How he has fallen from his high estate! Once a leader, and now a man wearing the collar of Cleveland and Wall street, and ready to do their bidding even when tho errand turns his stomach! How sadly he has mistaken the temper of the people of Kentucky and of the country!

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TONGUE PARALYZED.

A Blasphemer Struck Dumb While Ridiculing Religious Worship.

Atlanta Constitution.]

Athens, Ga., August 27.—(Special.)—A remarkable story comes from the little town of High Shoals, located fourteen miles from Athens.

A revival has been going on about one week, Rev. J. T. Lowe, a consecrated Methodist minister, having charge of it.

Among other citizens of High Shoals is Mr. William Haygood, an old gentleman who moved there a short while ago from Princeton Factory. He was marshal of the town of Princeton. Mr. Haygood is an honest, hard-working old man, and for many years was a member of the Methodist church. Lately he has taken up the doctrine of unbelief, preaching against heaven and hell, declaring that no such places exist, and denying many of the claims of Christians as set forth in the Testament. During the progress of the meeting at High Shoals last week, Mr. Haygood would go to the meetings at the church and then collect a crowd of men together and attempt to answer the arguments of the preacher.

Sunday afternoon the services had been concluded, and a crowd collected around Mr. Haygood at Mr. Medlin's store, at the shoals. Haygood was proceeding in his usual way to argue against the meeting, and the men were listening to what he had to say:

Suddenly silence fell upon the crowd, as if rooted to the spot. The old man had started a sentence when he suddenly stopped. He attempted to complete it, but he could not utter one syllable. The crowd was dumfounded, but hoped the old man would soon come around all right. But the minutes slipped by and still that tongue was silenced. On rolled the hours, but no sound came from that tongue. In the midst of his argument against religion, his tongue had refused to speak. Was it mere chance paralysis, or was it the finger of God that had been laid upon that unruly member to rebuke the utterances made or to prevent the utterances to come? Those were the questions asked by the crowd of themselves, and a holy awe spread through the crowd.

Monday morning came, and at the appointed hour the meeting was opened at the Methodist church. Mr. Rogers, coming along the road, met Mr. Haygood and spoke to him cordially. He simply touched his lips, for his tongue could not move.

During the progress of the meeting Mr. Rogers had to take charge in the place of Mr. Lowe, the pastor, who had become very much exhausted by reason of preaching three sermons on Sunday previous. Mr. Rogers was leading the meeting and was delivering a discourse on infidelity, telling his experience in discussion with an unbeliever once, and he noticed Mr. Haygood, who sat in the audience in front of him. Mr. Haygood began to tremble and his hands and body shook preceptibly. Tears streamed from his eyes and rolled down his cheek, but the quivering lips could not fashion words to express his thoughts. The congregation noticed him, and looked on with wonder.

He drew a pencil and a piece of paper from his pocket and wrote nervously a few lines. Then he passed the paper up to the pulpit to Mr. Rogers, who read it aloud to the congregation.

It was as follows:

"I am doomed to hell. There is a hell. Pray for me.

WILLIAM HAYGOOD."

The effect upon that congregation was electrical. It seemed as if they were perfectly awe-stricken. The services proceeded, and the religious feeling manifested was very noticeable. In the presence of such a striking incident, the hardest of sinners quivered and became alarmed at his state of mind.

"Farmer" (?) Morton.

The fact is, Morton is not a Democrat at all. He is a crazy man. He was a wild and weird greenbacker—an arrant fiat money man—and ran as the greenback candidate for Governor of Nebraska on the same ticket with Ben Butler for President. He was a statesman out of a job when Mr. Cleveland hauled him out of obscurity and converted him into a goldbug secretary of agriculture, in which position he has incurred the undisguised enmity of ninety-nine one-hundredths of the farmers of the nation.—Lynchburg News, Dem.

Would Beat the Tower of Babel.

Philadelphia Item.]

Assuming that a man could lift a bushel of corn in a basket and empty it into a wagon in a quarter of a minute, and that he could keep this up during the ordinary working day from year's end to year's end, it would take him nearly three centuries and a half to load wagons with this year's crop of corn in Kansas alone. It will amount to more than 300,000,000 bushels, or enough to allow 400 pounds to every man, woman and child in the United States, with several ship loads to spare for the hungry in Russia or any other country. When the other great corn States are heard from the aggregate of this year's yield will be something to stagger the imagination. The American standard bushel is a cylinder 18½ inches deep. Suppose this Kansas corn in shape of a cylinder of that diameter, what would the hight of it be? Figure it out. The tower of Babel in its best days would be nowhere. Pile on it the corn of the other States, and the man in the moon could slide down and pay us a visit.

Goldbug Democrats are Republican Allies.

General Bradley is the goldbug nominee of the Republican party of the State of Kentucky. In a recent speech he told a rock-ribbed truth when he said:

"Grover Cleveland and those Democrats who stand with him are allies of the Republican party. The gold standard is the original Republican policy. It was honest old John Sherman and his Republicans with the Democratic minority that saved the country."

HONEST MONEY OR SILVER CLUBS.

The Organization of Clubs Called for by Authority of the Memphis Convention.

To the Voters of North Carolina:

The Memphis convention composed of representative men of all parties who oppose the schemes of the single gold standard men, passed the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That a committee composed of one member from each State, be appointed by the delegates thereof in this convention, whose duty it shall be to correspond with the representatives and advocates of bimetallism and bimetallic societies in the different sections of the Union, and devise measures to advance the cause of bimetallism throughout the United States.

That this committee shall have power to call a national conference of bimetallists whenever, in the opinion of the committee, the cause of bimetallism can be advanced thereby. Said committee shall have power to fill all vacancies.

The committee, in accordance to the above resolution, elected a national committee of one member from each State.

This committee met in Chicago on July 18th and passed a resolution empowering and instructing the member of the committee from each State to proceed at once to organize "Honest Money Clubs" in his State. Therefore, I now call for the organization of "Honest Money Clubs" in every county in the State.

The scheme of the single gold standard men is:

First. To prevent any further coinage of silver into legal tender dollars at the ratio of 16 to 1, and to bring this country to an absolute gold basis.

2nd. To have the silver dollars already coined robbed of their legal power, so as to be only token silver money to be redeemed in gold, like token paper currency.

3rd To destroy all silver certificates, treasury notes and greenbacks, and to issue and fasten upon this country gold interest bearing bonds to the amount of the money and currency thus destroyed. The coin bonds of the government already issued will then be made payable in gold only.

4th. To increase the power of the national bonds by turning over to their management and control the entire issue of paper currency to be redeemed in gold.

If the above infamous scheme succeeds the hard times we now have will be made twice as hard and the liberty and prosperity of the American people will be sealed forever.

The object of the "Honest Money Clubs" will be to bring together all men who are opposed to this diabolical English plot and who will fight not only to the bitter end to prevent its consummation but also to restore and maintain an honest financial system.

The time has come when it is the duty of every patriot of every party to come together and fight the English gold curse with the same unity, zeal and determination that our forefathers fought and drove British bayonets from American soil.

As soon as a club is organized send in the name and postoffice of the the President and Secretary of your club.

I recommend that a State convention of these clubs, as soon as a sufficient number are organized, hold a State conference for the purpose of consultation, &c.

MARION BUTLER,
Member of National Committee for North Carolina.

Approved. B. F. KEITH,
Vice President Memphis Convention for North Carolina.

HOW THE GOLD MEN CAN WIN AND HOW THEY CAN BE DEFEATED.

[By request this editorial which appeared Aug. 1st, will be kept in a few issues of the paper.]

Any man who has watched the current of events for the past few years knows that the next National conventions of the two old parties will not declare for the free coinage of silver. Each one of them may write a straddling platform and nominate a half-way silver man for Vice-President, but everybody will know what that means. The machinery of both old parties is not only dead against silver and more money, but is in league with and controlled by the gold men. Therefore every man who stays in either of these old parties will simply be helping and strengthening the gold men. Then how can any man who is not in favor of a single gold standard stay in either of these gold parties? Do you want the gold men to win? No. Therefore you will not vote the gold ticket. Will you sit down and do nothing while the enemies of prosperity commit their crime? No. Therefore you will fight the gold men with all your power. Yes, you will fight them and vote against them. You will work and vote for a platform and a candidate for President who is square on the financial question.

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There is but one way that the gold men can win. That is for the patriots in the Republican party who are opposed to the gold men to stay in that party, and for the patriots in the Democratic party who are opposed to the gold men to stay in that party. Then the gold men would put up two gold bugs for President and the patriots would help elect one of them with their votes. If the People's Party should devide and each Populist should go back to his old party, the result would be the same.

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There is but one way that the gold men can be beaten. That is for the patriots of the two old parties to come together. Then all the prtriots would be in one party while the gold men would be divided into two gold parties with two gold candidates.

Patriots, the path of duty and the road to victory is plain. The battle must be fought—the hour has struck—the opportunity is here—will you seize it? Think of the direction in which this country is now drifting and what the end will be! Let us show that we are worthy sons of our ancestors. The British are again on our shores and the Tories are going to their assistance.

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Sons of Liberty, let us act—let us get under one banner—the banner of American freedom and American prosperity. Let us drive the enemy from our shores and plant that banner once more upon the dome of the nation's capitol.

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PREAMBLE.

The Omaha platform is a broad protest against the monopolies and other evils, which have sprung up and been fostered under the rule of the Democratic and Republican parties. They have deserted the principles of Jefferson and Lincoln; the People's Party stands for those principles of industrial progress and human liberty. No old party betrayal of trust has resulted in so much disaster to every branch of our varied industries and in as much wrong and misery to our people as the deliberate and persistent legislation on the financial question. There is a right and a wrong principle under this great question—the two principles are as different as light and darkness. On one side of this question to-day the Democratic and Republican parties stand together, side by side, backed by the Rothschilds, the bankers, the contractionists and the gold trusts; on the other side stands the People's Party, single-handed, but backed by every patriot who has realized the real danger that confronts us, and who realizes that this is the paramount issue, on the correct solution of which depends, not only all other industrial reforms, but the civilization and christianity of a great nation.

We fully realize that not all the social, political and industrial ills that affect the people can be cured by a proper financial system, but the magnitude of the contest, on this issue, is so portentous and the enemy is so firmly entrenched behind the legislative, judicial and executive departments of our government that we invite the assistance of all those who favor "more money and less misery," whether they fully agree with us on the other issues or not. Therefore, we, the People's Party of the State of Kentucky, in convention assembled, though we believe and reaffirm the three great cardinal principles of the Omaha platform—Finance Land and Transportation—ask for the suffrage and co-operation of every voter in the State and welcome to our ranks all who believe with us in the following demands:

NATIONAL PLATFORM.

First, We demand the free and unlimited coinage of silver on equal terms with gold at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1, without asking the permission of Great Britain or any other foreign nation.

Second, In order to secure and maintain a safe, sound and flexible currency, we demand that the national banking system and all banks of issue be abolished, and in addition to the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1, that the national government proceed to issue national Treasury notes, all of which shall be a full legal tender for all debts, both public and private, and in quantity sufficient to restore the general range of prices and prosperity that existed before the demonetization of silver in 1873, and to increase in quantity year after year with the increase in population and business so as to maintain equity between debtor and creditor, to facilitate the development of our great national resources and contribute to the general prosperity of our people.

Third. We are unalterably opposed to increasing our already great burden or national debt by the unnecessary issue of interest-bearing bonds in times of peace, and we deplore and condemn the recent action of the Democratic administration at Washington, not only for selling our national credit at a price below its market value, but especially for surrendering to the Rothschilds and other bankers our financial independence for six months by a secret contract, the infamy of which is without parallel in our history.

Fourth—The National Government has the right and should exercise it to use its option as to the kind of legal tender money with which it will pay any debt or obligation, and that it should always give preference to the money that is below par in order to appreciate it and maintain a parity among all of its legal tender money.

Fifth—We demand that Congress make it unlawful for any note, bond, mortgage or other obligation to stipulate for payment in gold only, or in any other particular kind of legal tender money of the United States.

Sixth—Ours is the only political party that has ever had the honesty and patriotism to demand in its national platform a graduated income tax. The Supreme Court of the United States, in its recent decision, has declared that our constitution does not allow this just and equitable tax. In the language of Justice Harlan: "The practical, if not the direct, effect of the decision to-day is to give to certain kinds of property a position of favoritism and advantage that is inconsistent with the fundamental principles of our social organization, and to invest them with power and influence that is perilous to that portion of the people upon whom rests the larger part of the burdens of the government, and who ought not to be subjected to the dominion of aggregated wealth any more than the property of the country should be at the mercy of the lawless."

Therefore, we demand an amendment to the United States Constitution to provide for a graduated income tax.

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Mr. Choate took $250,000 as his own fee and divided up the rest of the money among about 20 eminent lawyers. Some of these lawyers were not heard of in the case at all. They merely contributed advice or briefs to the legal general. Every movement while the case was in preparation was submitted to, thoroughly discussed and passed upon by a galaxy of lawyers, whose names were not of record, and who are not known to the public as interested in the case. My informant told me that three state judges received large fees, two of New York and one of Massachusetts. They were among the most valued of Mr. Choate's eminent and costly staff.—Washington Cor. St. Louis Republic.

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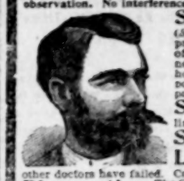

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SCIENCE THROUGH THE MICROSCOPE

can distinctly see these small germs or microbes eating the live fibre and warm blood-drops of man as with the naked eye you can see a worm in a rose or a caterpillar eating a green leaf. Therefore Dr. V. R. Scheck, specialist, says: "The only medicine of nature is that which will destroy the germs of disease."

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Theodore Fletcher cured with 2 bottles of medicine; had spent $200. T. J. Gaza cured with the medicine after suffering five years. Mrs. D. Brownill cured a badly inflamed and swollen arm in one night with Swamp Angel. Ephram Johnson, in bed 6 months with inflammatory rheumatism, cured in three weeks. G. W. Owens suffered since the war with rheumatism; cured completely. W. S. Nally, rheumatism all over the body and partly paralized, cured sound as well with Swamp Angel Medicine in two weeks. The above people live in Atlanta. Mr. Kiker, of Buchanan, Ga., on crutches three months, commenced with Swamp Angel Medicine; in two days threw his crutch away, and in two weeks he was out in the field at work. A late case is reported as follows: "J. M. Jones, J. P., Dodo, Ga., 3-14, 1894, says: "My wife has been in bed eight months with rheumatism and one bottle Swamp Angel Medicine has her nearly well." So it goes in a hundred cases. Can't name them—no space.

SWOLLEN BREASTS, TUMORS, GOITERS, WENS, AND SWELLINGS

are caused by parasites. The milk in a mother's breast will sour and fever. Then commences the mischief. Kill this trouble every time with Swamp Angel Medicine. Goiters, tumors, and wens are developing worms. Kill them every time with Swamp Angel Medicine. Wall Chapman, Sam Jones (colored) Mollie Dixon, H. Temple, all of Atlanta, all cured of bad cases of tumors and goiters. Sam Jones, especially, was being choked to death with a large goiter on the neck. In one month was wearing a collar and necktie, same as other people. Swamp Angel Medicine did the work. Could add fifty cases if had space.

KIDNEY, BLADDER AND LIVER TROUBLES.

Swamp Angel Medicine acts most effectively on the Kidneys. The urine often smells of the medicine, especially when taken in large doses. G. W. McWilliams, president of the Sub-Alliance at Stockbridge, Ga., could not stoop and pick up a pin. After using Swamp Angel Medicine three weeks he could pick up 130 pounds. It made him a new man; better than he had been in twenty years. James Jackson, Atlanta, suffered for years with diabetes; cured with two bottles of Swamp Angel Medicine. Russell Whaley, Atlanta, cured of inflammation of the bladder in one week with Swamp Angel Medicine.

ASTHMA AND CATARRH,

conceded by the best medical experts to be caused by parasites, germs or microbes, Swamp Angel Medicine never fails to kill the bugs. Mrs. Spinks, living on J. J. Brogdin's place, near Lawrenceville, Ga., had been dropped up in bed six months with asthma. In a week after commencing the use of Swamp Angel Medicine she was up and doing her own housework. Could give you many remarkable cures of both catarrh and asthma. Swamp Angel Medicine will cure if you give it a trial.

ERYSIPELAS, DIARRHOEA AND COLIC

are all caused by germs, microbes or parasites. John Daniels, Atlanta, was struck with a baseball bat. A gash in the cheek and three teeth out. Erysipelas set in. Three days after his face was a horrible sight. Saturday night commenced with Swamp Angel Medicine. Monday morning no symptoms of a swollen face. J. R. Clower, Atlanta, at midnight said: "Oh, I will die before day!" Congestion of the stomach. Dr. D. W. Marion pumped five doses or 150 drops into this gentleman in 20 minutes. He was up and walking about in an hour. N. H. Cheshire, a large farmer of Fulton county, says: "My mule was sick from 3 a. m. till 6 p. m. I then drenched with two tablespoonsful of Swamp Angel Medicine. In twenty minutes that mule was up eating oats. Miss Ella Clower, Atlanta, says: "Not one of the ten children has had La Grippe, a cough or cold this winter. At the first symptoms of trouble we give and take Swamp Angel Medicine."

THEIR NAMES ARE MANY.

Margaret Morton, 45 Courtland street, down in bed six months with consumption. In less than one week after commencing the use of Swamp Angel Medicine she was walking around and attending night shows. In two weeks she was walking a mile in the hot August sun. J. W. McDonald, West End, Ga., suffered thirty years with throat and lung diseases; cured sound and well with Swamp Angel Medicine. Dora Strickland, DeKalb county, down in bed three months with consumption; she was walking about everywhere after commencing the use of Swamp Angel Medicine. Isaac Harper (East Point, Ga.), J. H. Thomas, J. H. Cooper, Mattie Tomkins, Aleck Haywood, all of Atlanta, were cured of lung diseases by this remedy.

DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Swamp Angel Medicine is a wonderful tonic, and therefore never fails on Dyspepsia and Indigestion. This trouble is simply fermentation of the stomach. Fermentation is regeneration. See yeast working and milk souring through a microscope. Millions of bugs are visible. So with Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and sour belches; the gastric juices have failed to force digestion. One dose of Swamp Angel Medicine put an immediate stop to all fermentation in the stomach. It kills the bugs. Cures in Atl